SACTO-NORTHERN 'TRACKS' CLAIMED BY CCCSD

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County Also Seeks Land For Roads

A Contra Costa County Planning Staff report urging the county to acquire portions of the Sacramento-Northern right of way for county road purposes was released Tuesday in Martinez.

The right of way which is to be condemned by the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District (see other story on this page) can also fit "very well" into the county road system, according to Ed Radosevich.

AN 11 STATION map has been prepared by the planning staff which is now being considered by the county public works department and the county administrator.

Radesovich, who is head of the advance planning section of Planning Department, laid out the following recommendations urged by the staff:

1. To acquire the right of way from the Alameda County Line to a point near the intersection of Redwood Canyon Road.

The road should be a two level type to insure that the area keep its natural contours and beauty. He pointed out that the redwood area is a park area and should be kept that way.

2. **TO ACQUIRE** the portion of the Sacramento Northern right of way from the town site of Moraga to a point 2500 feet east of Moraga Highway.

This section will be used, said Radosevich, as a frontage road when the Shepherd Canyon Freeway is built and the Utah Construction Company builds its proposed business section in that area.

3. To acquire a portion of the right of way from St. Mary's College to 1000 feet east of Jonas Hill Road. This section would be used for widening of the present two-lane county road.

4. To acquire the right of way in the area of the Lucille Lane-St. Mary's Road intersection.

THE RIGHT OF WAY of the railroad used as a county road would eliminate a "deadly intersection "at Lucille Lane point."

"This would also give a straight shot over an area which is full of twists and turns and we would use the present St. Mary's Road to serve the homes in the several subdivision in the area," said the

5. To acquire the portion of the right of way in the Glenside-St. Mary's Road intersection sector. This would again take out quite a few turns and eliminae another bad intersection, St. Mary's Road and Glenside Drive.

THE COUNTY has no plans of acquiring any of the right of way past the Lafayette Station. This property is still in use by Western Pacific and seems as though it will be in use for some time to come," he said.

Most of the property is zoned agricultural along the Sacramento Northern track but some portions are suburban, he stated.

The only business property along the right of way is near the Lafayette station.

In explaining how the county would acquire the right of way, he said:

"WE CAN'T DO business with the Sacramento Northern directly, we must deal with the individual property owner, from whom Sacramento Northern purchased its right of way. Of course, in most cases this would be the successors to most of the original owners

Chet Smith of the public works department said that the condemnation proceedings of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District would present some interesting legal problems.

IF THE CCCSD gets the prime right of way on the property it would be all right for them to dig up a county road, if and when any are built, work on their sewers and just forget about filling the holes up. The burden would lie with the county to set up signs and refill the hole or holes dug by the sewer district.

Meetings of the county administrator, public works director and planning commission are being set up to discuss the pros and cons of purchasing the entire right of way or portions of it.

Clouds Convene, Spoil Spring

Just when we thought that winter was behind us and spring greenery was in bloom, those nasty old clouds had to have a get-together overhead and spoil it all.

It must have been a sad affair they had, too, because they wept 3.94 inches worth during the week, and there was no sign of a let-up. This brought the season's total of rain on the community to 14.56 inches.

The thermometer behaved itself reasonably well, however, hitting a high of 65 Monday and only dipping as low as 44. The weather-week record is:

	High	Low
February 20	55	46
February 21	56	49
February 22	57	48
February 23	56	45
February 24	58	44
February 25	65	53
February 26	59	54
February 27	63	53

Jury Asks Pinball, Gambing Law

More Control Is Necessary' Says Comimttee Head

Gordon Langlois, whose Grand Jury committee's recommendations that pinball machines in the unincorporated areas of the county be banned ,and that card rooms be controlled were presented to the Board of Supervisors Tuesday, told the Sun yesterday that, "more control is necessary . . . unrestricted operations are unsatisfactory."

He added, "We feel that these recommendations are important and represent the real desires and needs of the people in the county."

This strong position was reflected in two recommendations submitted personally to the Supervisors by Phil Bancroft Jr., chairman of the Grand Jury.

THEY EACH were of one sentence only, advising the Supervisors that the Grand Jury favors eliminating pinball machines in unincorporated areas, and controlling the hours and scope of cardrooms and gambling.

The Supervisors at that time told Bancroft that a special committee is studying a proposal that all cardrooms be closed at 2 a.m., and that no action can be taken until the committee makes its report, probably sometime next week.

Langlois told the Sun later that any method of preventing the use of the pinball machines for gambling is "not feasible" and added that the "only solution is direct banning."

"Law enforcement officials we talked to said that pinball machines were being used as gambling devices and there was not much they could do about it.

"WE TALKED to Sheriff Harry Brown and chiefs of police in several cities.

"We visited every law agency in the area ,and also traveled about the county talking to citizens and getting their opinons, too."

Langlois continued, "We are convinced that cardrooms tend to bring in an unsavory element where not controlled, and also the situation as it stands can become even more unsatisfactory.

"The committee was not specific in its recommendations. We felt that the Supervisors can best decide the details, but we do have in mind what the sheriff has said controlling the number of hours the card rooms can remain open, the licensing of owners and so forth."

BANCROFT informed The Sun that he is not optimistic about the outcome of the Supervisor's deliberations.

"There didn't seem to be much enthusiasm; so far they haven't taken any position. They listened politely, but it was not a cordial reception," he said.

Bancroft was asked by Supervisor Ray Taylor of the Third District, which includes Pleasant Hill and Walnut Creek, whether he had heard from "a lot of people" who are against the cardrooms, as they now operate.

Bancroft said that only a few people had made requests for the recommendations to the Grand Judy.

Taylor later on remarked in a light vein, "To show you that poker is not dead, I've received a petition in favor of draw poker from Pleasant Hill residents. Several hundred names were attached, he said.

HE REPEATED what he had indicated in previous discussions — that he was aware of no problems in his area due to pinball machines or cardrooms, although a few complaints had been received by him from residents.

Supervisor Mel Nielsen of the Second District which includes Lafayette, Orinda and Moraga, said that he knew of no cardrooms in Lafayette, and as far as he knows, there is no problem now.

Supervisor Ivan Goyak early in the hearing reminded the audience that the board had appointed a committee composed of county officials to study proposals to close cardrooms at 2 a.m., whereas they are now allowed to remain open all night.

The Grand Jury recommendations are the first to come from the 1957 group. They were introduced ahead of others due later in the spring, or by July 1, due to "timing."

"There would be no point in making proposals when the matter had already been decided," Cancroft commented.

The committee studying the matter for the board includes Supervisor Joe Silva, County Administrator Desmond Teeter and District Attorney Francis Collins.

Pinball Ban, Poker Law To Get Study

"The action of the board of directors of the Lafayette Improvement Association in asking that card rooms and pin ball machines be abolished was taken as a preventitive measure," George Walker, president of the Lafayette group, told the Board of Suprvisors Tuesday in Martinez.

Walker, who was in Martinez on other business, was asked by Second District Supervisor Mel Nielsen: "Is there a problem in Lafayette now?"

WALKER commented that it was the feeling of the Improvers that some steps should be taken to see that card rooms do not move into the community.

Nielsen stated that he had not received one complaint and that the board of directors of the Lafayette Improvement Association had failed to canvass the local improvement groups and general membership of the organization.

Walker stated: "In speaking as president of the group and the board of directors, we are representing some 600 members of the improver group. There are 15 members of the board of directors."

NIELSEN OFFERED some solutions, in the matter of pinballs: "I'm against multiple play machines, but these single coin machaines present no problem. I've never had a complaint about them.

"The teen-agers that play the machines would soon lose interest in them, if they were nailed to the floor and walls so you can't bang them around. There's nothing that will make the kids drop the idea of playing the machines as fast as making the 'TILT' mechanism more sensistive.

"There are two cardrooms in Pleasant Hill. Supervisor Ray Taylor, chairman of the board, has received a petition signed by several hundred people to just control the hours of play and not abolish them.

"IN MY DISTRICT, there are five card rooms in Crockett and they get along just fine. No trouble at all," said Nielsen.

"I haven't had any complaints at all from there and I spend at least a few hours a week up there talking ot the local people.

"If this were a problem like the switch blade knives, I'd be on it in a minute, but what can a single play pinball machine do?

"There was a rumor that two card rooms were to open in Lafayette, but through local pressure, they did not. Why, any card room that opened in Lafayette would die a natural death inside the week.

Nielsen hinted that Supervisor Joe Silva, who is on a committee, the district attorney and county administrator, to study the proposed ordinances, would ask that drinks not be served at the table while cards are being played.

THIS WOULD eliminate any danger of someone getting drunk start a fight during a card game, he said.

One observer stated: "What's to keep the players from going back and forth to bar and then starting a fight during a card game?"

Bud Buchanan, supervisor, has contended that the farmers in his area enjoy a game of poker and would not stand for the ordinances.

"IF IT'S ALL RIGHT by state law, it's good enough for us," one proponent of the card rooms said to Buchanan.

The committee to study the ordinances will meet next week to determine recommndations.

The Pleasant Hill Civic Council, Lafayette Improvement Association, Crestview Junior Woman's Club, Council of Church Women and other groups have filed protests on the gambling and pinball matter.

Planners OK School Addition

A proposed three-acre addition to the Glorietta School was approved Tuesday by the County Planning Commission.

The addition would expand to 10 acres the school site, which fronts on the south side of Martha Road west of Glorietta Road.

Orinda School District Superintendent Joseph L. Sheaff said the district has been negotiating for the additional land and needed county approval to continue negotiations.

Expansion work at the Pine Grove was recently assigned to contractor Ed Eoff of Richmond by the Orinda School Board. Eoff will build a six-room addition at the school.

ORINDA RED CROSS drive for funds is under way. Mapping the campaign are Robeson E. Smith, Orinda-Moraga-Rheem-Canyon campaign chairman, and three of his area chairmen — left to right, Mrs. James H. Allen, in charge of southwest Orinda, and Mrs. Joseph S. Eldridge, northwest Orinda. Not in this picture are Smith's two other area chairmen — Mrs. Lawrence Collins, northeast Orinda, and Mrs. Ray Devin, Rheem-Moraga-Canyon. —Sun photo by Mattson

Road Bond Election Seen 'Very Soon'

By POLITICUS

A multi-million dollar road bond proposal seems to be in the offing for residents of Contra Costa County.

The Sun learned this week from sources high in the county government that plans are under way for a complete expansion of the county road system over the next five years.

Voters of the county passed an election in 1952 on a $10.25 million road bond. Most of this money has been spent in such major projects as the Pleasant Hill bypass, Pleasant Hill Road, construction of the San Pablo Dam Road, Apian Way and other county road projects.

IN THE NEAR future it is seen that the county will complete its east-west through road. (The connection of Pleasant Hill Road, with the Pleasant Hill by-pass, the construction of Sanko Road Extension and tie in with Willow Pass extension and Willow Pass Road to Pittsburg.

Work in the Lafayette section of the county seems probable in that the planning staff has recommended acquiring portion of the Sacramento Northern right of way, soon to be abandoned, for county road use.

What the terms of the bond election will be as yet are not known. Supervisor Mel Nielsen of the second district said that he was almost sure that a bond election would be neded to complete the many projects planned by the county.

SUPERVISOR RAY Taylor, of the third district, who is chairman of the board, said that the Public Works Department has done an outstanding job and that many other projects are pressing which must be taken care of.

Studies are now underway by the planning staff, the right of way department and the planning commission for the ultimate needs of the county in an overall traffic plan.

Their findings will probably decide the nature of a bond election, its amount and when it will be called.

Soda Pop Bottle Tossers Sought

Soda pop bottle tossing vandals are being sought by Walnut Creek sheriff's deputies today for the $150 damages they inflicted early this week on the electric sign of the real estate office of H. H. Bridwell, at 112 Orinda Highway.

Bomb Threats Will Net Culprits 'Serious Penalty'

Serious penalties face the person or persons placing bomb threat calls to schools in central and northern Contra Costa County the Sheriff's Office said yesterday.

Anyone who is suspected of placing the calls will be booked on a felony charge, the sheriff's office said. It's far worse to make such a call than place a false alarm or report to the sheriff's office, a spokesman said.

Principals of the Mt. Diablo School District will turn any person suspected of making the calls over to the proper authorities. Expulsion from school would just be a minor part of the punishment if the person were a student, one official in the district office said.

CURRENT EVACUATION plans in all school of the central county area call for the students be taken to a safe place, an athlectic field and the school searched.

"The point is to nab whoever is doing it. Whether the person is a 'psycho' or a prankster is not important. The important thing is to get the person making the calls," supervisor Mel Nielsen told The Sun.

Martinez school authorities offered a reward for any information leading to the apprehension of the youngster responsible for a bomb scare at Martinez Junior High School Tuesday.

Another bomb threat, the second at Acalanes, was phoned Tuesday to principal Stan Walgren. This time the phone call was made by a youth.

The first call to Acalanes was made by a person who sounded like an adult.

OTHER BOMB THREATS have been reported in Danville and East Contra Costa Junior College in Pleasant Hill.

In Orinda schools, district superintendent Joe Sheaff has talked over the matter with school principals and they have agreed on a general evacuation plan. Second step of the plan is to contact sheriff's deputies and firemen.

In Lafayette a like proposal has been reached by superintendent Bill Ellis and school principals.

When the second call was placed at Acalanes six sheriff's deputies and a dozen or more firemen from the Central and Lafayette Fire District responded to the call.

In the Martinez incedent, the police were convinced that it was just a prank call but went ahead with their search anyhow.

"WE HAVE entered a terrific situation," Undersheriff John Jagard told The Sun. "Not one of these calls can be ignored."

"What or who is behind them we don't know, but we will find out." he said.

"You never know with bomb threats if it is the real thing or not. You can't take chances with them. The schools must be evacuated and searched thoroughly."

INSPECTOR NORM WILSON concurred that such hoaxes can't be ignored. He felt that "the same set-up" could be responsible for both threats.

Lt. Bob fisher of the Martinez sheriff's office, which turned the Acalanes case over to the Walnut Creek substation, recalled that a rash of similar bomb threats broke out in Concord last year.

"This kind of prank is in very poor taste," he said. "Whoever is doing it isn't thinking of the consequences.

"I wish I could catch someone making such a call," he offered.

Rotary Elects Smith President

Robeson Smith was elected president of the Orinda Rotary Club Wednesday at a meeting at the Orinda Willows.

Underwood and the other new officers will take their posts July 1 and will serve throughout the 1957-58 term. The new president will replace Ramsay Underwood.

Harold Bryant was elected secretary and Joseph A. Duffel will be the next club treasurer.

Elected to the board of directors were Joseph A. Longacre, John Ogden, Dr. Paul Slattery, Rollin B. Moore and Maynard Buehler.

Speaker at Wednesday's meeting was Don McNeeley, public relations representative from Danville, whose colorful talk was entitled "Going to the Dogs."

"Props" used during the talk were compatible with the title — a poodle, a Turkish Hairless dog and a huge Irish Wolfhound.

Next week's program, noon Wednesday at the Orinda Willows, will be presented by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Right-of-Way Sought From Moraga to P.H.

Authorization to begin condemnation proceedings against the six mile strip of the Sacramento Northern Railroad from Moraga to Ygnacio Valley has been given by the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District board of directors.

The board, seeking a 60-foot right of way on that portion of the railroad, instructed CCCSD Attorney John A. Nejedly to start the legal proceedings immediately at its February 21 meeting.

Condemnation would be necessary if negotiations with the railroad for the right of way collapse.

District plans call for future trunk lines along the rail, running from south of Moraga to Bancroft Road in Ygnacio Valley.

BEGINNING AT 27 inches in Moraga, the line would expand to 48 inches at the Lafayette station, 60 inches in Walnut Creek and eventually 84 inches at the treatment plant in Pacheco.

Authorization to institute condemnation proceedings came following a recommendation from District Engineer-Manager Gary Horstkotte.

The manager said this week the directors want the right-of-way for the trunk line so that it cannot be relocated at district expense.

"AS THINGS stand now," he said, "a sewer line located under a county road or state highway must be relocated if the county or state demands it. And that's expensive for the district."

One of the advantages of utilizing the railroad right-of-way for the line, Horstkotte stated, is that it is already graded, sloping down from Moraga.

He pointed out that roads are not graded like that, so the cost of grading can be saved.

"AND THE LINE must be graded unless pumped," he added.

Horstkotte emphasized, however, that it will not be necessary to disturb the Sacramento Northern tracks when the sewer line is installed, probably in 1959.

He estimated that if condemnation is necessary, the district would pay some $200,000, "at the outside."

Part of the cost, however, may be aleviated by sharing the right of way with another agency or company.

NEJEDLY HAS already sent letters to Pacific Gas and Electric, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph, EBMUD, the Flood Control District, the county, state and city of Walnut Creek, opening the door to negotiations for sharing the strip.

The right-of-way action may end the railroad's last hold on the Walnut Creek area. It is expected to abandon the line from Lafayette to Oakland in March.

In other action at the meeting, directors fixed a fee of $350 in conformance with Ordinance 24 providing preliminary annexaton for the Thomas H. Bishop 1800-acre ranch to the district.

THE ACTION merely processed the ranch parcel for legal and engineering studies, Horstkotte explained.

A hearing was held on Local Improvement District 39 in the Stewart Avenue area of Sans Crainte subdivision south of Walnut Creek. The area was approved for sewer lines connecting approximately 25 properties.

The project will be opened for bids May 2.

The board announced that bids will be advertised at the March 7 meeting for the major expansion project at the Pacheco treatment plant. Cost is estimated at $1 million.

At the same sessions, bids will opened on the first $1 million in sewer bonds from the total of $9,750,000 approved by voters last year.

Knife Ban Tight; Weapon Law Need Cited by Police

Sheriff Harry A. Brown has asked the county board of supervisors to include other items, at times used as weapons, in the ordinance outlawing switch blade and push blade knives.

The other weapons mentioned by the sheriff include razors, tire chains, can openers, daggers, bludgeons, and ice picks.

Brown said that many of these "everyday" items are used as dangerous and deadly weapons by a good many juvenile and adults in the county. At present prosecution of use of such items as "deadly weapons" may be accomplished under felony provisions.

"I WANT TO MAKE possession of such items a misdemeanor offense and in that way I'll be able to turn these kids over to the juvenile control officers or our deputies.

Mel Nielsen, second district supervisor, who asked for the legislation which was passed in emergency session by the supervisors praised local merchants for their support of the new law.

The team of sheriff's deputies called on all hardware, bait, gun, and general merchandise stores of the county informing the owners or managers of the new ordinance.

The ordinance states that it is unlawful for any person to possess, sell, give, trade or bear a switch blade or push blade knife in Contra Costa County.

SCHOOLS OF THE Mt. Diablo Unified School District have held assemblies or posted notices informing students of the new law. Acalanes high school district schools have taken like measures to insure that all students know of the new bans.

In Orinda schools, District Superintendent Joseph Sheaff, stated that he was glad that the supervisors passed the resolution and that it was emphasized.

"We have never seen a switch blade knife in Orinda Schools but we have seen other knives. All knives are forbidden in our schools," he said.

No incident of knives (switch blade) was reported in Las Lomas High School or Acalanes High.

The police chiefs of Contra Costa cities voted to get their municipalities to adopt ordinances outlawing switch blade knives and other dangerous gang paraphernalia.

THE COUNTY POLICE chiefs headed by Sal Jimno of Pittsburg are to meet March 12 to decide on the wording of the ordinance and to ask their individual cities to adopt it.

The problems of the ordinance were pointed out by the police chiefs inasmuch as they must cope with young hoods carrying can openers which have been flattened and sharpened into a vicious weapon.

William Ellis, superinendent of the Lafayette School District, where complaints were voiced by representatives of the Air Force Reserve and parents, said that an announcement was made of the supervisors action at Stanley School at a general assembly.

He stated that there is little if any trouble in the elementary schools

Juvenile Crime -- Problem For Parents, Authorities

By SHERMAN PEARL

Small, muddy footprints tracked across the floor in a pair of recent burglaries left a trail that led sheriff's deputies to believe that the culprits were juveniles — 10 or 11 years old.

These and many other instances of juvenile crime — ranging from petty shoplifting to burglary — are causing a good deal of consternation among police authorities, merchants and parents.

ALL STAND to suffer, along with the children, from such delinquency.

This belief was expressed this week by Inspector Norman Wilson of the Walnut Creek sheriff's substation.

"I would say there's too much juvenile crime going on for this to be a healthy situation."

HE SURMISED that "since crime in general has increased, youngsters' crimes are increasing correspondingly.

Recent instances of petty thievery in local stores seem to bear out the inspector's contentions.

Merchants have reported that each year they incur heavy losses from the petty shoplifting of toys, food and other material — not to mention cases of overt burglary by juveniles.

BUT MANY of the minor crimes by children are never brought to the authorities' attention, so that corrective action may be taken.

"Sometimes the merchants, out of what they think is kindness, would simply not turn the kids in," Wilson said, explaining that the sheriff's office doesn't hear about many cases.

Although the Lafayette School District is relatively free of juvenile thievery, Superintendent W. B. Ellis believes that all cases should be reported.

"IF KIDS get away with thievery time after time, they'll try to get away with more serious crimes later on," he said.

"These are problems we have to continually work on to keep them at a minimum."

In agreement with Ellis is Joseph L. Sheaff, superintendent of the Orinda School District. Sheaff also agreed that the incidence of juvenile crimes isn't too great in the local area.

"INFREQUENTLY WE'VE had calls from merchants in the past, complaining that thievery is going on.

"Lately we've heard of kids taking things out of stores, but these haven't been reported to me officially," he said.

County Juvenile Control officer Bela Clark felt that there's not as much juvenile crime going on as there used to be, "but there's still enough to keep us plenty busy."

HOWEVER, John Davis, county probation officer, said that there are "perhaps 10 times as many juvenile cases as come before the juvenile court."

He said he was not aware of a significant increase in juvenile crime, and pointed out that there are periodic increase in housebreaks, especially in Orinda, some of which involve juveniles.

Son Discovers Tragedy in Visit

Tragedy was discovered by Berend C. Bremer, 137 Overhill Road, Orinda, when he visited the San Francisco home of his parents Monday. His mother was dead and his father lay moaning but unconscious on the floor.

The 47-year-old engineer told police his mother, Mrs. Ida Bremer, 75, had been in failing health for several years and was a victim of diabetes.

Police said preliminary investigation indicated the woman died of natural causes.

Bremer, who said he had stopped by the bungalow over the weekend, returned Monday. Hearing the moans of his father, Bernard C. Bremer, 80, he smashed in a door.

The elder Bremer, apparently the victim of a stroke, was on the floor of the den. Mrs. Bremer was dead in her bed in an upstairs bedroom.

OUR OIL NEEDS

One economist estimates that we will use about 415 billion barrels of crude oil between now and the year 2000. That is more than one and one-half times the total oil discovered in the world to date.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER ELECTION

1 Member of the Canyon School District
1 Member of the Acalanes Union High School District
1 Member of the Contra Costa County Board of Education
1 Member of the Contra Costa County Jr. College District Ward IV

Notice is Hereby Given to the Voters of the Above Districts of the County of Contra Costa, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Boards of the said districts will be held on the third Friday of May, namely, May 17, 1957, for the purpose of electing the number of members of the governing boards of the districts as indicated above.

The polls will be kept open between the hours of 3 o'clock p.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. The election returns will be canvassed at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 3, 1957, by the county superintendent of schools, Court House, Martinez.

Deadline for the receipt of absentee ballots is June 2, 1957.

Forms for declaration of candidacy may be obtained at the office of the county superintendent of schools, Court House, Martinez. The last day for filing declarations is April 17, 1957.

The polls will be located at Canyon School for Canyon Special Precinct No. 1 which shall include the area within the Canyon School District.

February 6, 1957
B. O. WILSON
County Superintendent of Schools
By Harold DeFraga
O-828. Orinda Sun, Feb. 15, 22, March 1, 1957.

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The polls will be kept open between the hours of 7 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. The election returns will be canvassed at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 3, 1957, by the county superintendent of schools, Court House, Martinez.

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Precinct No. 1 — The polls will be located at Orinda Union School for Orinda Special Precinct No. 1 which shall include all the area within Contra Costa County General Election Precincts Orinda Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 15, 16, 19, 20, 23 and 26.

Precincts No. 2 — The polls will be located at Glorietta School for Orinda Special Precinct No. 2 which shall include all the area within Contra Costa County General Election Precincts Orinda Nos. 5, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 21, 22, 24 and 25.

Orinda Special Precincts shall include all the area lying within the Orinda Union School District.

February 6, 1957
B. O. WILSON
County Superintendent of Schools
By Harold DeFraga
O-830. Orinda Sun, Feb. 15, 22, March 1, 1957.

LEGAL NOTICE

ORDINANCE NO. 1094
AN ORDINANCE FORBIDDING SALE OR POSSESSION OF SPRINGBLADE KNIVES.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, do ordain as follows:

SECTION I. It is a misdemeanor for any person to possess, sell, furnish or give away any knife of the type commonly called springblade, switchblade or pushblade, and is punishable as provided in the Penal Code of the State of California.

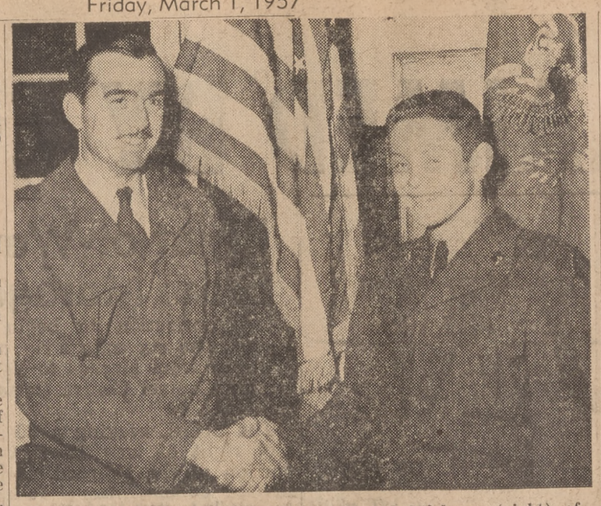
SECTION II. This is an ordinance for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety and shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption, and shall be published once within fifteen days following its passage in the "ORINDA SUN," a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in the County of Contra Costa. The facts constituting the emergency are these: the sale and possession of knives of the kind described in Section I hereof in large numbers in the County of Contra Costa has tended to promote breaches of the peace and juvenile delinquency and to impair ordinary process of law enforcement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, on the 19th day of February, 1957, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors—I. T. Goyak, Mel F. Nielsen, Ray S. Taylor, W. G. Buchanan.
NOES: Supervisors—None.
ABSENT: Supervisors — Joseph S. Silva.

RAY S. TAYLOR
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa

ATTEST:
W. T. PAASCH
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk
(SEAL)
By: E. M. Montanari
Deputy
O-834, Orinda Sun, March 1, 1957 of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Contra Costa.



NOW AT FORT ORD is 17-year-old Ed Mjolsnes (right) of Orinda. He arived there recently for six months' active military duty under provisions of the Reserve Forces Act. He is shown being congratulated by Capt. Kenneth Renwick of Orinda, commanding officer of Headquarters and Headquarters battery, 916th Field Artillery Battalion, USAR. Ed, a midterm graduate of Acalanes High School, joined the 916th as soon as he was 17 — and so will serve for only six months' active military duty and will enter college in the fall. —U.S. Army photograph

Quarry Looted Of Explosives

Sheriff's deputies are alert today for any sight—or sound—of some $475 in explosives stolen early this week from the Tunnel Rock Quarry in Orinda.

Storage sheds of the quarry operation, near the Broadway Tunnel, were broken into and 200 pounds of black blasting powder, two dozen blasting caps, and a detonator-plunger for firing the charges taken.

The powder, 40 per cent nitro, was bagged in four 50-pound boxes.

Spigots on nine 50-gallon barrels of lubricating oil also were left open, with a loss of about $380 worth of oil. But officers said this may have been done to suggest the theft was done by juveniles.

Design, Color Told at Meet

Speaking on "Contemporary Design and Color," Louis Rolley of Design Center, Rheem Center, addressed the University Women of Orinda at a recent meeting in the home of Mrs. Philip Bush, 89 Meadow View Road, Orinda.

Rolley stressed the importance of color and accessory coordination, and demonstrated the use of monochromatic and analogous color schemes in decorations.

Taxes high? Suburban problems? Read The Sun, study, participate and vote.

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The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit; Lot No. 31, Lincoln Estates fronting 100 ft. on the southwest side of Moraga Highway approx. 300 ft. northwest of Estabueno.

J. P. CONNORS
CHAIRMAN OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
O-839. Orinda Sun, March 1, 1957.

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The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit; Lot 117, Moraga Del Rey Unit No. 1 fronting approx. 94 ft. on the east side of Don Gabriel Way and on the south side of the intersection of Valencia Rd.

J. P. CONNORS
CHAIRMAN OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
O-840. Orinda Sun, March 1, 157.

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The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit; Lot 118, Moraga Del Rey Subd. No. 1, northeast corner intersection of Don Gabriel Way and Valencia Rd.

J. P. CONNORS
CHAIRMAN OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
O-841. Orinda Sun, March 1, 1957.

Alice Monosmith Wins First Step In Lions Contest

Alice Monosmith's description of "My Place in the World of 1976" was good enough to give her top honors in the first phase of the Lions International 20th Annual Student Speakers Contest.

The Orinda Lions conducted the local phase of the contest Wednesday night at Casa Orinda.

Alice, a junior at Acalanes High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Monosmith, 70 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Orinda.

Having hurdled the first barrier in the contest, she will next compete in Zone competition, to be conducted before March 21.

It was no mean trick for Alice to win out Wednesday. She received tough competition from Gail Sorem, a junior, and Smedley Ambler, a senior, both attending Acalanes.

But the judges — Miramonte High instructor of English W. E. Teutschel, Dr. Philip Lambert, assistant superintendent of the Orinda Schol District, and Orinda Attorney Nathan Gray — felt that Alice had the edge.

Last year's winner in the Orinda competition was Bob Rupley.

Should Alice reach the contest finals, to be held in June in San Francisco, she will have a chance at the $1500 scholarship first place award or one of the three $500 scholarships for second place.

Meanwhile, she was awarded $5 for her effort Wednesday, as were the other two speakers.

Ken Courtright is contest chairman for the Orinda Lions, assisted by Jack Richteine.

School Problems Discussed by Demo Women

Mrs. Conine Benney, 510 Miner Road, was hostess last night for the regular monthly meeting of the Democratic Women of Orinda.

Mrs. Frances Newman spoke on school board district problems, followed by a question and answer period.

This issue is the first in a series of Orinda and county problems which will be studied by the group.

The club also planned a potluck social for this month to which all local residents are invited.

Mrs. Benney may be called at CL 4-4085 for further details.

Two fund raising projects are being under taken: Easter baskets filled with home-made goodies for sale soon, and the County U.D.F. "Brick Banks" distribution in this area.

Shop at home and save!

Transit District Seeks $200,000

Asks Grant, Loan For Purchase of Sacto-Northern

The Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District is looking for someone who will buy the Sacramento-Northern and hold it until July when the district will have power to get "some money, J. H. Arnold told The Sun late yesterday.

"If we can get some money now, before the Sacramento starts to sell its right-of-way and track, we still might have a good chance to establish a commuter service from Oakland to west Lafayette and then on to Concord over Western Pacific tracks," said Arnold.

"It is expected that the property will go on sale in a week or two but, if we can get the money and put it down we'd be in a very good position.

The cost to the district would be about $200,000. There are several large land owners to whom most of the property will revert.

They are the Utah Construction Company, St. Mary's College and an organization known as the Mohagany — Eucalyptus and Land Company whose successors would not be known without a complete title search," he continued.

The committee is still working on the idea of getting the Sacramento Northern for commute use. (Arnold, R. M. Copeland, director at large for Contra Costa; R. L. Barber, director of Ward I)

"The committee is very interested for the acquistion of the Sacramento Northern and is doing everything in its power to acquire it," he stated.

The directors of the transit district have approached the City Council of Oakland to see if the council would release the Sacramento Northern from a $100,000 bond to remove tracks in Oakland by next September.

The directors asked that the bond be turned over to the transit district.

By law the transit district needs no franchise to operate in on city streets and could keep the tracks on Shafter Street if it acquired the line.

Arnold proposed that the transit district buy the Key system trains and the Sacramento Northern and let the Key keep its buses.

"Wage negotiations will be underway June 1 between Key and its employees and we may be faced by another transit strike," the director warned.

A 10 cents per hundred dollars evaluation tax on the current tax rate would net the district $700,000.

Massie to Aid Real Estate Member Drive

Realtor Standish Massie, 44 Estabueno, Orinda, has been appointed to the Membership Committee of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, Kenneth S. Keyes, NAREB president, announced recently.

Sun want ads appear in 5 papers for 1 bargain price.

Over 300 Volunteers Seek Orinda Red Cross Funds

Today is kickoff day for the 1957 membership drive of the Americna Red Cross. In the Orinda-Moraga-Rheem-Canyon area over 300 volunteer workers are "ready to knock on every door in the area to make the annual drive the biggest ever," according to Robeson E. Smith, campaign chairman for the four-community area.

Working under his guidance for the past several weeks to get this effort under way are five area chairmen, 50 captains and over 250 volunteers.

"These volunteer workers are our own neighbors," Smith said, "devoting hours of time and effort. We owe them the friendly courtesy of a hearing and whenever possible a generous contribution to a great cause."

FOLLOWING are the area chairmen and captains in the five campaign divisions in the Orinda area:

Northeast Orinda: Mrs. Lawrence E. Collins, chairman. Captains: Mesdames J. L. Tokich, Lloyd Calloway, Leighton D. MacGregor, Stuart Campbell, Edmond Lerch, T. T. Angell, Ray Pagmello, R. F. Stuart, Harry Noller, Lester Hink Jr., Bert Hoffman, Wayne Littlejohn, Sutherland Hutton, F. V. Cummings, D. I. Wenrich.

Northwest Orinda: Mrs. Joseph C. Eldridge, chairman. Captains: Mesdames Carl Dudley, R. T. Hoyer, Ned Blackman, S. Stidham, Marian Nelson, Grace Hank, H. W. Schwing, Helen Stone.

Southeast Orinda: Mrs. Vance P. Mendenhall, chairman. Captains: Mesdames Clarence Unnevehr, Frank A. Liebold Jr., Kenneth E. Schwarz, Carl M. Pedderson, George O. Hartzell, Kenneth M. Brown, Arthur C. White, Leland T. Atkins, William J. Lord, P. H. Deming, Hal Johnson, C. S. Green, J. R. Quinn, Robert Gosch.

Southwest Orinda: Mrs. James H. Allen, chairman. Captains: Mesdames Everett Harris, John Goldeen, James Lindsay, Richard Bartle, Robert Patmon, James Stockholm, Norman Mann.

Moraga-Rheem-Canyon: Mrs. Ray Devin, chairman. Captains: Mesdames William Pimental, Leo Read, Bernard Franklyn, Harold Parker.

Orinda business area: Captains: Joseph A. Duffell, Crossroads, and Ernest Poll, Village.

"THE MT. DIABLO Chapter does not participate in United Crusade funds and needs the cooperation of every resident to carry on its important work in our own community as well as in the nation," Campaign Chairman Smith said.

"The American Red Cross is peculiarly an American institution, dependent almost entirely for its vast work on voluntary memberships. Established and regulated by an act of Congress, most of its basic functions are not duplicated by any other organization or governmental agency, though they are vital to our way of life and basic concepts of Americanism.

"In its official capacity with the armed services, as the only national disaster agency and in its blood donor program, the American Red Cross is the sole agency charged with responsibility in these fields."

SMITH ALSO pointed to Red Cross functions on the community level, such as its first aid services, swim-to-live program, nursing services, veterans' and VA hospital programs and driver education.

These community-level activities must pay their way from the contributions of the residents of each community, he stated.

"We want to give everyone an opportunity to play his part in this vast program," Smith said, "both with membership contributions and volunteer services in the chapter.

"We know that hundreds of the faithful and devoted patrons of the Red Cross in this area who have given $10 to $100 and more each year will still be with us, but it costs only a dollar to be a member, and we need those dollar memberships from every adult just as much as we are grateful for the larger contributions. 'Join and Serve' is the byword for the month of March."

Orinda Young Republicans Set Champagne Fest

With the recent election of Joe Zablocki as president of the Orinda Young Republicans, plans are under way for the 3rd Annual Champagne Party, to be held next Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Orinda Willows.

Zablocki has appointed Jim Lindsey as general chairman of the party. Jack Gates was commissioned to design the unusual invitations which were in the mail this week.

More than 100 people are expected to attend this event, with Louise Knudsen in charge of refreshments. Members of the Board will act as hosts and hostesses.

They include:

Max Dunn, 1st vice-president; Jim Lindsey, 2nd vice-president; Hank Wright, treasurer; Betty Wagner, recording secretary; Kay McGuire, publicity; Betty Taylor, corresponding secretary; Karl Rigor, ex-officio; Tom Howard, county liaison, and Audrey Gregory, phone chairman.

Goals of the Orinda Young Republican Club in 1957 include an increase in membership, education of its members in various phases of state and national government and the presentation of unique and interesting speakers, according to Zablocki.

At the January meeting, Assemblyman Donald Doyle spoke to the group on legislation now pending in Sacramento regarding the selection and printing of textbooks now used by the California school children.

Lindsey urges all interested Orindans to attend the champagne party. A booth for membership sign-ups or paying delinquent dues will be open near the door.

Repair Work on Moraga Highway Slide to Begin

Commuter congestion and the breakage of power caused by the slide on Moraga Highway near Glorietta Boulevard Saturday will not be repeated when future storms strike, Supervisor Mel Nielsen vowed this week.

Nielsen said that 7000 tons of earth will be used to buttress the unstable soil on which that area of the road lies. Plans are ready, he added, to control the creek running under the road.

The freely running water is responsible for the washout, he said.

Meanwhile, motorists are finding it difficult to bypass the piles of dirt which have blocked off one lane of the highway. Pacific Gas and Electric Company workers labored for several hours Saturday night to repair the power lines running beneath the road.

"The county Public Works Department has just completed engineering plans to provide a lasting solution to the problem, and repair of the road can be begun immediately," Nielsen said.

Generally, he explained, the plans cal for a pipe five feet in diameter and 160 feet long to be placed in the San Pablo Creek bed to carry the flow of the creek.

An average depth of 18 feet of earth will be placed on top of the pipe. Cost of the work is estimated at about $18,000, the supervisor stated.

"We've had the geological tests taken, and action will be taken soon," he said.

Slides on the highway have been recurring for the past several years. Heavy damage was incurred after last winter's heavy rains, but repairs to the road were made.

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Orinda 'City' Petition Drive To Be Renewed

Directors of the Orinda Association decided Monday night to conduct a renewed effort to obtain necessary signatures for Orinda incorporation election petitions.

President W. E. Estes asked each director to submit to him the names of two people who would be "enthusiastic workers" on the petition drive.

ON MOTION of Director Art Flint, the board voted to continue to "pursue those steps in the incorporation procedure necessary to bring it to the vote of the people."

However, in contrast to the stand of last year's board in favor of incorporation, the directors decided not to take a stand for or against incorporation.

BOARD ACTION followed a report by Ted May of last year's incorporation committee.

May pointed out that signatures thus far obtained represent "slightly under 20 per cent" of the assessed land faluation, without improvements.

Signatures required in order to have the County Board of Supervisors schedule an election on incorporation must be those of at least 25 per cent of the landowners in the community, representing at least 25 per cent of the assessed valuation, without improvements.

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Talks on 'Bootleg' Lots are Tomorrow; Here are Views

A major conference of official groups interested in a proposed amendment to Subdivision Ordinance 820, which would redefine a subdivision to include home construction on two or more lots, will be held in Martinez tomorrow starting at 9 a.m.

Its proponents say that the amendment will eliminate the practice of "bootleg subdivisions" which has been widely criticized.

The discussions will be in the planning department rooms, and will include representatives of the Pleasant Hill Civic Council, which has called for a new law, the Contra Costa Real Estate Board, the General Contractors Association, the Engineering and Survey Society, several title companies and the planning directors office.

They will seek to reach an agreement which can be submitted in the form of proposals to the County Planning Commission next Tuesday. The planning commission originally designated the organizations to be consulted.

A sharp division of opinion has been evident among the civic leaders, and it is expected to enliven the session, tomorrow.

The stories below illustrate the varying opinions, which have already been voiced in several meetings of the individual groups:

Realtors Declare Method Offered Is 'Unconstitutional'

Representatives of the Contra Costa Real Estate Board have indicated that they "can't go along" with the amendment to the Subdivision Ordinance 820, but have agreed that some controls more extensive than now exist are needed.

William Anderson, who is chairman of the Realtors' Public Affairs Committee, told The Sun that "That something is needed is recognized by the Realtors and general contractors association."

"Contrary to some reports, we have never been against it. It is desirable to eliminate unorthodox operators, and we desire to work out a solution.

"BUT WE DON'T feel that property owners should be penalized to such an extent that they can't even adjust a boundary without a county hearing," Anderson continued.

"This is vital to thousands of property owners. The amendment as it stands is not workable. There is no agency in the county which has the facilities to enforce it.

"It can be only used as a stopgap, to be used against offenders where needed. But it does not set up a standard. We would rather wait till we can arrive at some more realistic decision.

Anderson added, "The amendment by changing the definition of subdivision from five or more lots to two or more lots affects the persons who want to sell any part of his land for a home.

"THAT WOULD mean that you can't cut off any piece of property for sale without submitting a map and getting county approval, and the approval is left up to the discretion of the planning director. A standard is needed," he said.

"It boils down to the question—does a man have a constitutional right to sell without county approval."

Jesse (Nick) Carter, president of the Real Estate Board, told The Sun, "By this amendment, everytime you or I or a bank or anyone sells a piece of property, we would have to go to the planning office and receive a stamp of approval before the conveyance is legal.

"TO IMPOSE SUCH restrictions is not constitutional; it wouldn't stand up in court very long. The right to convey is an inalienable right. Of course, the right to make use of the property is another thing."

Carter continued, "The amendment doesn't set down any rules to follow.

"We are attempting to straighten out the thinking on this and also the legal technicalities. We feel that if a man wants to sell half or 90 per cent of his property, there is no law that can stop him.

"I would like to add that we have remedies ready to propose to stop this so-called bootleg subdividing, and they will be offered in the conferences.

"Another thing — the district attorney's office has claimed that they have no power to stop such practices as splitting lots and avoiding responsibilities, but he has all the power in the world!

"There is an ordinance which spells out penalties for violation of proper lot splitting, with a $500 maximum fine and three months in jail," Carter said.

Need for Two Lot Law 'Self Evident'

"The need for a two lot subdivision ordinance is self evident," Ralph Becker, chairman of the Pleasant Hill Civic Council's planning and zoning committee said in urging adoption of the control measure.

The District Attorney's office and the planning commission staff are studying the proposal introduced at the January meeting of the Pleasant Hill Civic Council.

BECKER INFORMED The Sun that some property owners, to get around the law stating they must file a subdivision map for every development of five homes or more, were subdividing four lots each year.

Under the present county zoning law a person is only required to file a sub-division map for divisions of five or more lots. In this way, Becker explained, some people divide four lots each year for three or four years.

"What they can benefit is quite obvious, they do not have to file what improvements will be made on the property for flood control drainage and easements," said Becker.

"SUCH BOOT - LEG operators are abusing the current county ordinance and something has to be done to stop it, Becker pointed out.

Becker related how the Gracelands Improvement Association is now facing such a problem of a sub - divider chopping lots up four a year. Becker is a member of the Gracelands club.

He commented that the new ordinance would be rough on the small builder, but, that the entire community had to be protected from these "boot-leg operators."

Becker indicated that Pleasant Hill was not alone in facing the need for a two lot sub-division ordinance.

Other unincorporated areas, such as Lafayette, Orinda and Moraga are often confronted with boot-leg sub-divisions.

Rains Hamper Heart Workers; Praise Given

Hampered by rainy weather and aware of the fact that many families who left town for the holiday weekend had not returned by Sunday, Heart Sunday volunteers donned raingear and staged their drive as scheduled in the afternoon.

Nature was kind in holding off the heavy rainfall until late afternoon.

Despite the heavy rain, additional volunteers later in the day appeared at Heart Fund headquarters, 2363 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek, to tally the returns.

The doors were not closed until midnight when the weary workers left for their homes.

William S. Palmer, Heart Sunday chairman, said that it will be a week until final figures for the day's contributions are completely tallied. "However from early returns, certain trends are indicated, and we are enthusiastic about the response to our appeal in certain areas.

"In other sections, where larger numbers of people were away from home, we are hopeful that the residents will return their 'not-at-home' envelopes at an early date to help their community."

Mr. Palmer had high praise for the hundreds of volunteers who tramped the streets in the rain ringing doorbells and collecting funds for the 1957 Heart Fund. A small number of workers postponed their house-to-house drive, knowing they would find more people at home in the early part of the week.

"We earnestly hope," Mr. Palmer said, "that residents who did not contribute on Sunday will catch up with the 157 Heart Fund by placing their gifts in the envelopes and mailing them promptly.

"The 1957 Heart Fund is a record goal to meet, making avery contribution essential," he said

He added that mail addressed simply H-E-A-R-T, care of the local postmaster, will be directed to the Contra Costa County Heart Association.

Traffic Sign Study Underway in C. C.

The University of California Institute of Transportation and Traffic Engineering, with the cooperation of the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors, are making a study of the use of "Yield Right of Way" signs in rural locations.

The "Yield Right of Way" signs which have been installed at the intersections of Sellers Road and Delta Road, Sellers Road and Sunset Road, and Sellers Road and Brentwood Road, are being carefully studied by graduate students of the University of California to determine their accepetance by rural traffic.

Yield signs are designed to expedite the safe movement of traffic through certain intersections wehre the volume of traffic or sight distance of the intersection may not warrant a stop sign.

A motorist approaching an intersection, where there is a yield sign, is required to (1) reduce his speed to 15 miles per hour; (2) when necessary, stop and yield the right of way to any vehicle approaching the intersecting street, so close as to constitute an immediate hazard.

HIGHWAYS

The United States now has about 4000 to 5000 miles of four lane highways.

IT TAKES PEOPLE with a kind heart and a little skill to make the stay at Juvenile Hall a little more pleasant for the many children there. A group of neighbors on Cumberland Drive in Pleasant Hill have been repairing worn out toys and sending them to the Hall. Mrs. L. L. Mulligan and Midge Colon put new clothes on a doll.

THERE'S NOTHING like a piece of cake after a meal to make a child's heart lighter. Mrs. Sam Cohn of Pleasant Hill takes her cake out of the oven and will soon send it to Juvenile Hall. Cakes, cookies or other gifts may be left at any of The Sun's offices for delivery to Juvenile Hall.

—Sun photos by Don Bradley

Doyle Reveals Legislature Work Affecting County

Establishment in Contra Costa County of a mental health clinic, a state college, and of higher teachers' salaries — also the future of commercial fishing were discussed by Assemblyman Donald Doyle in an interview with The Sun last week.

Doyle indicated the following:

1. Should the State Assembly and Senate allocate some $800,000 per year for matching cities and counties in financing new mental health clinics, Contra Costa may eventually get one, probably in Martinez.

2. **THIS COUNTY** is third in line, necessity-wise for a state college. The assembly will get a bill recommending Contra Costa County and probably two others. However, it is likely that only two will be approved under the present financing. This may delay the local construction for five years.

3. The sponsoring by the California Teachers Association of a bill adding more taxes to cigarettes and beer sold in the state will provide not only for higher teachers salaries, but for other items such as special classes, like the Braille class to be conducted in the Walnut Creek School District.

4. A proposed bill to eliminate commercial fishing nets in the San Joaquin River from Crockett to north of Pittsburg and "in the flats" would put the fishermen "out of business."

The "Short-Doyle" bill, originated by Doyle in the Assembly and Alan Short in the Senate, is not intended to burden local taxpayers, said Doyle.

INSTEAD IT should lighten the tax load in time, since the creation of more mental health clinics will take many mental patients out of county hospitals, he added.

There are seven clinics now in California. Passage of the bill might create one or two more in the Bay Area, in addition to the one already there.

Doyle said, "Governor Knight has agreed that there is a definite need for more clinics, but has not indicated whether he will sign a bill.

"First benefits will go to the existing clinics, which need additional facilities and staff members.

"IF IT IS SHOWN that Contra Costa needs a clinic, it would probably be located in the Martinez Hospital. Those who are able to pay will do so; it's not all free."

He added, "The clinics are stopgaps; they provide help where it is needed, as where someone is leaning towards alcoholism, or where he or she are suddenly faced with a disaster which affects their thinking and outlook on life."

The bills will probably get out of committee early next month.

Contra Costa County comes third after Alameda County and Imperial County in the need for a state college, Doyle indicated.

HE IS CHAIRMAN of the Assembly's Education Committee.

Last year the legislature voted $200 millions for capital outlay for schools, and $60 millions are earmarked for new state colleges, and expanding present campuses.

There may be enough money for beginning two new colleges, but not three, so this may delay things until the next appropriation, perhaps in less than five years, Doyle declared.

"We will automatically amend the bill recommending other sites for new colleges to include Contra Costa County, so it hasn't been necessary to put in a separate bill," he continued.

"I HAVE DONE it that way so that the other Education Committee members wouldn't feel that I am asking something not warranted. On the basis of need, we would be in there, anyway."

Hearings will begin in the Assembly on March 4, and the college bills will come up then.

He continued, "If a college is approved for this county, it would be a matter of going out and procuring the land, probably in the northwest area. Franklin Canyon would be one prospect."

Seventy percent of the money for the two junior colleges in the county come from their district and 30 per cent from the state.

CONCERNING THE California Teachers' Association bill to further tax cigarettes and beer, Doyle said, "If the educators show in the hearings that they need the money, I think it should be made available.

"I personally think there is a need, but whether or not the Education committee members will go for a tax increase is uncertain.

"They have said, if cigarettes and beer, why not horseracing and other things?

"Others have said that money for higher teachers salaries and other specialty items should come out of the state general fund, since it is available, Doyle continued.

"THE REASON for the request is that Governor Knight has indicated that he will not sign any appropriation bill which does not have accompanying legislation raising the source of income.

"He has also said he would sign the tax bill if it comes to his desk, but would not take part in supporting it," Doyle stated.

The teachers have asked for a raise in minimum salary from $3400 to $4200 per year, and other adjustments.

The proposals that commercial fishing nets in the San Joaquin from Crockett north be outlawed has come from sportsmen in the Maxwell and Yolo Counties, located well out of the commercial fishing areas.

DOYLE SAID, "It is peculiar that this bill should be put in by men living hundreds of miles from the river, without even consulting us.

"I don't believe in legislating for one group against another. There is room enough for both the commercial fishermen, who must have those nets to make a living, and also for the pleasure sportsmen, he added.

The sportsmen made the proposal, saying that the nets were reducing the number of bass in the waterways to near extinction.

The bill is in committee in both the Senate and the Assembly.

Adult Learning Course Offered On March 22

A University Extension course titled "Adult Learning" is scheduled to begin at Acalanes High School March 22.

This 30 course, with two units of University Extension credit, will include selected aspects of adult learning, including transfer of training, mental hygiene through improvement of group processes, communicative skills and their application to human relations, and skills in teaching and training in an adult situation.

Dr. Herbert Hackett, Ph.D., member of the counseling staff at the University of California Counseling Center, will be the instructor.

The course will end on April 13. The class will meet on Friday evenings and Saturdays. Although this is primarily designed as a professional course for teachers it is recommended to all adults who may find themselves in a leadership capacity working with adults. It will be open to all interested adults.

For further information and application forms call the Acalanes Adult Center Monday through Thursday evenings, ATlantic 3-6262.

New Park Site Not Ready Yet

Public use of the 4,435-acre Briones Valley Park, which the county is buying from East Bay Municipal Utility District, will probably be delayed at least two years.

County Administrator D. M. Teeter said the county has no funds to develop the first of 10 parcels, which the county will acquire before April 1 in the 10-year $500,000 deal.

He said a portion might be opened for limited use in two or three years if access, fire hazard, water and sewage problems are solved.

Can't Sue for Sewer Damage, Homeowner Finds

Lafayette resident William Peterson discovered last month that the year and a half he spent building a case against the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District for sewage damage to his home was for naught.

In a hearing February 5, Superior Judge Norman Gregg informed Peterson's attorney that the Sanitary District was protected by sovereign immunity, and couldn't be sued.

Chagrined, Peterson told The Sun this week that his complaint against the district was lodged after a sewer line blocked up and the sewage spilled over one end of his house on October 1, 1955.

HE MAINTAINS that the district's insurange company investigators estimated the damage at $3000. It took SD workers about 20 minutes to unplug the line.

Following the incident, Peterson said, he hired an engineer, Harry Shadow, who pointed out that the six-inch sewer line running by the house was too small to service the area.

The engineer also contended that the line should be straight, with manholes at each intersection, rather than following a curve.

Peterson based his case on this reported negligence by the district and here the litigations began. They were culminated by the recent hearing, and the home owner says there's nothing more he can do.

"THE HEARING," he said, "was only to find out if we could sue the Sanitary District. How are you going to prove anything if you can't get it into court?"

"Supposing a child fell in a manhole and was injured?" he continued?" "You couldn't do anything about it, even if the district were at fault."

He added, however, that most insurance companies now have a Broad Form, which covers damage from the ground up, such as flood and sewage.

JOHN NEJEDLY, attorney for the Sanitary District, said that he had approached the State Legislature about two years ago in an attempt to have the sovereign immunity law changed.

"Most county districts have sovereign immunity at present," the attorney replied when questioned by The Sun.

"We're still studying the possibility of changing the law to make public agency responsibility uniform," he said.

Nejedly added, however, that the district's insurance premium presently was "very low." It would be raised drastically, he contended, if every complaintant could sue.

"UNDER appropriate circumstances, the taxpayers should pay the bills of damage," he said.

But referring to Peterson's case, he offered that "if the district builds the sewer line and it happens to plug, that's one of the risks of the game."

The Informer Is Local Play

The play, "The Informer," was shown yesterday at Las Lomas High School to benefit the Foreign Exchange program.

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PH Woman Conducts Art Show

Diablo Art Association member Mary McNally of Pleasant Hill has been conducting a one-man show at the Concord Library.

She has been painting for seven years, and has been interested in art since early childhood.

Primarily selftaught, she had suplimentary training from Fred Reichman, Donald Malone, Hazel Elling and Douglas Connelley. She received pottery instruction from Ann Kogelschatz of Walnut Creek and has won ribbon awards at Central California Ceramic Shows.

Besides her D. A. A. membership, Mary McNally belongs to the Artists and Attisans Guild of Christ the King Catholic Church in Pleasant Hill.

Her current show was arranged by Faye Stimac and is sponsored by the Mt. Diablo Junior Womens Club in Concord. Mrs. Ben Strickland is chairman of the Arts and Literature division.

Artists interested in having a one-man show in Concord should contact Mrs. Stimac at 131 Adalaide Street, Concord. Phone: MU 2-9108

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Mrs. MacHugh Praised For Plan Course Work

George Weise, president of the Association for the Progress and Improvement of Contra Costa, announced that the Uuniversity of California Extension Division course, "City and Regional Planning" has a full enrollment. It is being held at Acalanes High School.

The class has representatives of public offices and improvement organizations and citizens from Martinez, Concord, Antioch, Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Orinda and San Francisco.

WEISE STATED that Mrs. Robert MacHugh, association executive secretary, had been commended by the University Extension Division for her assistance in scheduling the classes and in obtaining their large attendance.

"This is the fourth time within the past year that we have cooperated with the University in bringing such planning education county, and we believe this to be one of the greatest contributions that our group can make toward the sound planning of our county," Weise said.

The executive secretary of the Association for the Progress and Improvement of Contra Costa County, Mrs. Robert MacHugh recently announced that President George Weise and she will represent the association on the county committee appointed to study the proposed amendent to Subdivision Ordinance 820.

AT THE Planning Commission public hearing of February 5 on the proposed amendent, Mrs. MacHugh recommended that the amendment be given further study, with the close cooperation of both community and developer representatives.

She said "the association approves the intent of this amendment, as it recognizes an increasing problem — the abuse of the present ordinance which has resulted in a type of land exploitation that works hardship upon both the community and the ethical land developer.

"However, we believe that the amendment's present form is ambiguous and will have to be clarified for common understanding and a thorough solution to the problem," she added.

'Adelines' to Vie With Bay Groups

Members of the Contra Costa Chapter of Sweet Adelines, Inc. have been practicing for their part in the Region 12 quartet and chorus competition to be held in Berkeley, March 9.

Final meetings of the local group have had actual competition among members, with some of them acting as "judges," according to Carol Moser.

The East Bay Chapter will be host at the Veterans' Memorial Hall, 1931 Center Street, Berkeley. Quartet competition will begin at 1:30 p.m. and chorus competition at 8 p.m.

Later in the evening there will be the "Post Mortem afterglow," featuring refreshments and a spontaneous program by quartets.

The admission is 50 cents for the afternoon performance, $1 for the evening show, and $1 for the Post Mortem.

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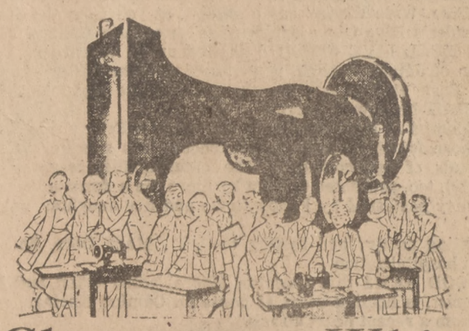

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Suburbia Scribblings

By MARIE MONAHAN

'Sic transit'—Not so slick transit

BREATHES THERE AN EAST BAY COMMUTER half-dead, who to his spouse hasn't feebly said — "Give me that Eastern commuting instead!"

Robert Ruark's column, concerned w/the 'hardy breed" of commuters and quoted last week in The Sun editor's column, reminded us of some chuckle-filled chapters in "Will Not Run Feb. 22nd," a satiric offering of advice and some rueful reflections by a veteran Eastern commuter, author Caskie Stinnett.

In contrast to the Connecticut country squires and the Bucks Co. gentlemen farmers who ride the rails to work in the Eastern cities, we WESTERNERS are the hardier breed!

The Easterner commutes in the VERY lap of luxury. NOT in the lap of some other poor commuter as our bus riders do. While the city-bound man of the east straddles a sofa-like seat, w/coffee going, and a highball in hand journeying homeward in the cozy camaraderie of the club car, the East Bay traveler finds that no matter how he had his eggs that morning, they're WELL scrambed before the first Bay Bridge approach.

NO DOUBT ABOUT IT. The most stalwart of the species Suburbanite is the man who is a Bus Commuter.

While the train passenger inhales his favorite filter-tips, the bus rider, (SMOKING PROHIBITED) inbreathes enough exhaust and gasoline fumes to build up a life-time immunity to chemical warfare.

Oh—that bayward bus!

Unlike the man who climbs aboard the Claremont train to peruse his morning paper in peace, the bus commutee has pre-folded his newspaper eight times into small squares to avoid poking someone in the eye. And 20/20's don't last long under the brunt of bouncing type.

Comparable to a jeep ride over the rockiest terrain are the seats in the rear section of the bus where the occupant is helplessly joggled and jounced rhythmically up and down like someone in a Relax-o-iczor machine gone out of control. And buses are NOT the place for a nervous back-seat driver. It all depends on where you're sitting how you see it!

From the book we previously mentioned, we quote, by the Holiday magazine columnist who recently renounced commuting and moved to the city:

"Commuting is man's first and last problem of the day, and in neither case is he ready for it. In the morning, he is not yet at his best, and he's too tired to face it courageously in the evening. Beneath it all flows the strong tide of human woe."

More about "CUPID'S FLING," cont'd. from last week . . . Another large gathering preceding the Valentine Dance at the Santa Maria Parish Hall took place at the Charles Hunts' home on Park Lane Drive w/Kathy and Ray West, the Dick Murnanes, Sulo Mansonens and Joe Turners . . . Also Joyce and Earl Boles (he's the Oak Springs lifeguard) as well as the Allen Thors and Andy O'Briens, all putting on their dancing shoes to trip the light fantastic later to the music of Dick Dildine's combo.

The Jay Angelos joined Mal and Margaret Lowman for the evening, and Evelyn and Ed Roberts (SHE in tiers of ruffles) came in w/the Con Smiths from a crowd-collecting at the Orchard Rd. residence of Henry and June Spatz.

A wedding anniversary on Dan Cupid's Day

IN THE CROWD THAT CIRCLED for a Samba lesson from George and Doris Clifford . . . Terry and Arnold Schralla w/the George Wheelers . . . the Dick Stengels . . . Evie and Norman Parker, who celebrated their wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day. Ernest and Laurie Abbes, the Bill Thurlows, and Ethel and Spike Spittler coming in late from another party down San Carlos way . . . Al Scollard among the candy-box winners.

John and Margaret Wiegand, who at the time were anticipating a Tahoe trek and a stay at the Flamingo there over Washington's wknd., came from the Ranchitos de Moraga home of Kenneth and Jean Schwarz, who entertained early for the Richard Regans, recent fourth-time parents of a new baby boy . . . Also in the group here, later heading for the dance, were Frank and Mary Gohr, the John Halliseys, Bill Zimmermans and George Smiths w/Barbara wearing a festive Valentine dress of red lace.

IT WAS A "COMPLETE SURPRISE" housewarming recently for Bob and Jean Haaf at their new home on La Campana into which they recently moved from Lafayette . . . Partygoers from hereabouts included the Harold Keenans, Sam Masons, Bob Angells and from Lafayette, the junior Philip Angells.

Jean Haaf, a member of the Junior Alliance, was, by the way, in charge of all the hostesses for the group's annual Mayfair fashion show held mid-month at Castlewood Country Club, and her guests at the spring style show were Orindans Barbara Hamilton and Marge Douglas, and Jean Angell of Lafayette.

In the large and fashionable throng attending the Valentine MAYFAIR was member Jo Mirov seating her guests Lael McCormack and Peggy Gregg at one of the tables decorated w/white manzanita branches suspending scarlet jeweled hearts . . . Also enjoying lunch together, Lorene Louis w/her guests, Nancy Moore of WC and Francis Butler of Lafayette.

Local models were Margot Heltne, Kay Kruse, Marge Crandall, Barbara McDowell, all of Orinda and Ardis Johnson of Lafayette, Nancy Rubey of Diablo . . . Chairman of this year's show was Maggie Gardner, assisted by Jeannie Mortarotti, both of Orinda.

Horses should have more sense!

A LITTLE HORSE SENSE, nonsense! The Jess Longs are calling their hysterical happenings w/their daughter's new horse Chico, their "Shaggy Horse" stories . . . Pretty apt, considering the first-night fracas and freeforall when Chico broke out of his stall, and saddleless and riderless, loped through the village, to the overpass, and finally stopped traffic half-way to Lafayette. Lucky for Chico and his owner Larryann, that traffic didn't stom HIM instead!

Donn and Barbara Sigerson, the Orinda couple recently featured on "Wide, Wide World" come smiling at you from the March issue of Reader's Digest in a double-page spread for General Motors.

A REAL LIVE CHERUB showed up on Valentine's Day in the person of James Patrick, new son of John and Mary Ann McClure . . . Born at Permanente, the young man weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. WITHOUT his bow and arrow.

Honored at a surprise baby shower last Friday was Jean Beyerle, whose fourth blessed-event expected this summer will not lack for loads of underpinnings. The outerpinnings were prettier and plentiful, too, presented to Jean by more tha a dozen of her friends at the party hostessed by Poppy Rowe and her daughter Yolande Burkette.

Sitting pretty, and resting too . . . Mary Dorr, home from a recent hospitalization.

GOOD NEWS that Carleton Moore, noted artist and Bay Area cartoonist, is holding court at home on Camino Encinas, recovering well from a recent heart attack.

It's a JUNE WEDDING coming up for Steve Barden, son of Dorothy and Lance Barden of Crestview Drive, who'll marry Shirley Ramsey, a UC student at a summer wedding to take place in Santa Cruz, home of the bride-elect.

They skied on the Swiss slopes

CAUSE FOR ENVY, the Tom Trozeras of Madera Lane, recently arrived home from a six-week skiing trip in Europe, mainly in the Swiss and Bavarian Alps.

The Henry Soubielles, not dismayed by the storm warnings, joined Steven and Delores Glovna of Lafayette for a Carmel holiday last wknd. w/a stay at Mission Inn, Monterey. Did you miss the Dick Kendalls? They spent last week in the Southland.

They're busy stirring up the PABLUM over at the Ernest Fernsten household on Woodcrest Drive; In a birth announcement from the Fernsten's golden lady Labrador, "Cinnamon Teal," we are informed that the seven new puppies put in their appearance on February 6. Sire is Sandy Buddy of Inverness. Papers are in order, and we don't mean just the AKC ones! We've had a litter of 10 collies in OUR house!

ELEEMOSYNARY was one of the words that failed to stump Kirk Miles and Bob Moorehead, who TIED as top spellers during a recent S-Bee at a Miramonte Parents Club meet. Both parents and students participated, w/Doug Moorehead emerging victorious as the last student to go down . . . A copy of Roget's Thesaurus, tied in school colors of green and white in an elaborate rosette by Tom Phair, was presented to each of the winners.

BACK HOME IN INDIANA, having left by plane last Wednesday, is Mrs. Rudd Hupp, who enjoyed a visit here since the holidays w/her son Jim and his family on Vallecito Lane.

THE CAR FLIPPED completely over just west of Charles Hill Road, Orinda, last Friday night — but the driver, 17-year-old Raymond Russell Rogers of Concord, luckily escaped injury, according to the California Highway Patrol. The patrol reported that Rogers, eastbound on Mt. Diablo Boulevard, passed to the left of another eastbound auto and, in order to avoid hitting the center divider, swerved to the right. His car crossed the wet pavement and went into the embankment.

—Sun photo by Ned Davis

Go to Church Sunday

Episcopal

Pre-Lenten services on Quinquagesima Sunday at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, 12 Via Las Cruces, Orinda, will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m. and Holy Communion wth a sermon by the Rev. Albert Lucas, rector, at 9:15 and 11 a.m.

Church school will meet during the 9:15 service and duplicate sessions for kindergarten through the third grade will be held at 1 o'clock.

Nursery care for pre-school children is available in the basement of the rectory during the 11 o'clock service only.

At 7 p.m. the Young People's Fellowship will meet in the undercroft.

On Tuesday the men of the church will cook and serve the annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper for the families of the congregation. Supper will be served in the undercroft from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Entertainment and fellowship will follow, with movies in the basement of the rectory for the younger children. Those attending are asked to bring their own dishes and silverware. Kendric Morrish is general chairman of the event.

On Wednesday, the Penitential Office for Ash Wednesday will be said at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m.

Beginning this week a special celebration of Holy Communion at 7 a.m. will be held each Thursday during Lent. The regular mid-week Holy Communion service at 10 a.m. on Wednesdays will be continued.

Lutheran

"What Do You Want of Jesus?" will be the sermon theme of the Rev. Merle O. Tollefson, pastor of Our Savior's Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Lafayette, at the 8:15 and 11 a.m. worship services Sunday.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 8:15 a.m. service only. Nursery accommodations are available at 11 a.m.

The Sunday School meets at 9:30 a.m., with classes for preschool through Adult Bible Class, and at 11 a.m. for pre-school through grade three. The Junior Luther League will meet Sunday afternoon at 4:30 p.m. at the Scout Hut.

Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. the Board of Trustees will meet at the church.

Mid-week Lenten services will begin this Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated at this service.

Thursday morning at 10 a.m. the Women's Study Group will meet at the church. The Junior Choir and the Junior Confirmation Class will meet at 7 p.m., and the Senior Choir at 8 p.m. Thursday evening.

Friday evening the Adult Inquiry Class will meet at the church at 8 p.m.

The Senior Confirmation Class will meet Saturday morning at 10 a.m.

Congregational

"You Can't Run Out On God" will be the sermon topic The Rev. Chauncey Blossom will use at the 930 and 11 a.m. services Sunday at the Orinda Community (Congregational) Church.

Special music will be presented by the Chancel Choirs.

Church School for three-year-olds through high school age will be held at 930; through the 8th grade at the 11 o'clock hour. Nursery care is available at the second service only.

Junior Pilgrim Fellowship will have its regular meeting at the church at 4 p.m. "Science in Action" by Everett Howe will highlight the meeting.

High School Choir will rehearse at 6 p.m.

Senior Pilgrim Fellowship will view Ed Nelson's slides of the sea at 6:45 p.m. Car wash will be from 10-4 at the church tomorrow morning.

The first lectures in the Christian Life Series will be held Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. There will be courses on the Bible, on Basic Christian Beliefs, on the Christian Home, and on the world outreach of the church.

Presbyterian

The Rev. W. Carl Thomas, pastor of the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church, will present the first of a series "MR. JONES—MEET THE MASTER" on Sunday at the Park Theater.

Duplicate services will be held at 9:30 and 11 a.m.

Church School classes will be held at 9:30 and 11 a.m. at the Town Hall and Legion Hall. Nursery will be provided at 1030 Brown Avenue, Lafayette.

Women's Bible Discussion groups will meet as follows:

Tuesday, 1141 Vallecito Court, Lafayette; Wednesday, 4033 Natasha, Happy Valley; Thursday, 922 Diablo Drive, Lafayette; Friday, 120 Via Floreado, Orinda.

Men's Bible discussion group will meet Wednesday evening, 8 p.m. at 3603 Powell Drive, Lafayette.

Tomorrow at 7 p.m. the East Lafayette area fellowship will have a potluck dinner at the home of Ray and Pat Crist, 3372 Moraga Boulevard, Lafayette.

Episcopal

Holy Communion will be celebrated at 8 and 11 a.m. on Quinquagesima, the Sunday immediately preceding Lent, at St. Paul's Church, Walnut Creek.

In addition, there will be services of Morning Prayer at 9 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 5 p.m.

Special services scheduled for Ash Wednesday include Holy Communion at 6:30 a.m., Holy Communion and Penitential Office at 11 a.m., and Evening Prayer and address by the Rev. Dr. W. R. H. Hodgkin at 8 p.m.

Ths will be the first in a series of Wednesday night Lenten talks by Dr. Hodgkin, retired priest of the Diocese of California and father of the rector of St. Paul's Church.

As in previous years, St. Anne's Guild will sponsor the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper this Tuesday evening beginning at 5:30 in the parish hall.

Guild members will serve the traditional meal of pancakes, baked ham, and relishes under the direction of Mrs. Harry Larson, chairman. Tickets will be available at the door.

Community

"The Nature of the Church," will be explained by Dwight Williams at the 9:30 p.m. worship service Sunday at the Lafayette Community Methodist Church.

Rev. Chester R. Lewis will preach at 11 a.m. on, "The Meaning of Brotherhood."

Church School and the Adult Bible Class will be held at 9:30 a.m.

For the ninth year, the Methodist Church has set aside the week beginning the Sunday preceding Ash Wednesday as the Week of Dedication. March 10 is the Day of Dedication, when a special offering will be received.

The Official Board will meet in the Church Lounge at 8 p.m. Frank Westfall is chairman.

The church choirs are asking for more voices. Interested persons are asked to attend rehearsals—Monday at 7 p.m. for the Youth Chor, Thursday at 8 p.m. for the Adult Choir.

Covenant

Dr. Algoth Ahlson, former president of North Park College of Chicago, will preach at the 11 a.m. morning and 7 p.m. evening services Sunday at the Lafayette Covenant Church.

The church nursery will be open at both services. Sunday School and the Adult Bible Class will begin at 9:45 a.m.

The Jr. High group, the Senior High League and Chi Rho organization will meet in the church recreation rooms at 6 p.m. Sunday.

Choir rehearsal will begin at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, followed by the Midweek Prayer Service at 8:15 p.m.

Members and guests of the Adult Bible Class will meet at 7 p.m. tomorrow at the church, from where they will go to the Robin Hood Inn for dinner.

Baptist

Pastor A. R. Rutledge will speak on, "The Answer," at the 11 a.m. morning worship service Sunday at the First Baptist Church of Lafayette.

Sunday School will convene at 10 a.m., and the Evening Service will take place at 7 p.m.

The church meets at Dick Mathis' stationery store, 969 Moraga Road, Lafayette.

Craft Course Is Offered

Students participating in the Recreation Leadership Course currently being held at Las Lomas High School, have been invited to attend the Tuesday evening craft class held at the Walnut Creek Recreation Center.

The class is open to all area boys and girls in the seventh grades through high school. It is held at the Center from 7 to 9 p.m. each Tuesday.

Mrs. Ethel Lopez, craft instructor, has said that the Craft class provides an excellent opportunity for those taking the leadership course to perfect their own craft skills and gain experience by working with some of the younger members of the class.

The Craft class is sponsored by the Walnut Creek Recreation Commission.

Don Agrati Bcomes Mouseketeer

Eleven-year-old Donald Agrati, a seventh grade student at Stanley School, has made the "big time."

He and his mother, Mrs. Louis Agrati, will leave Lafayette Sunday morning, to fly to Southern California, where Don will join the ranks of the Disney Studio's Mouseketeers of television fame.

Don, who is an accomplished tap dancer, accordionist, singer, clarinetist, drummer and ukelele player, was notified by a long-distance phone call Wednesday night, from the Disney Studios, that he had been selected for a spot with the Mouseketeers.

HE HAS a six-month contract with the studio, with an option to renew at the end of that time, according to his mother.

"I really am happy," Don said after he learned the great news.

The Agrati home in Lafayette is at 3636 Mosswood Drive.

Don was one of 197 Northern California youngsters who tried out last Saturday at the Bellevue Hotel, San Francisco, for Disney Studio performing roles. He and a boy from San Francisco were selected as finalists for the Mouseketeers and were flown to Burbank Tuesday.

THERE THEY were given auditions. Don and his mother (who accompanied him on that trip) came back to Lafayette Tuesday night, to wait for results after the auditioning of a few boys from Southern California.

About 7 p.m. Wednesday the big phone call came through from Burbank. And Donny was in the "big time."

His good fortune gave great satisfaction to his two teachers — Miss Pearl Kay of Berkeley, his dance instructor, who long had been convinced that Donny "has what it takes," and John Molinari of Berkeley, his accordion teacher.

MRS. AGRATI said that after about a week she intends to come back and take the family's two other children to the Southland. They are daughters Marilou, 9, and Lani, 2.

Mr. Agrati, a sausage manufacturer in Oakland, will remain in this area — at least for the time being.

Among the many persons delighted at the Agratis' good fortune was Mrs. W. B. Worswick, in whose Shoo-Time Shopping Store on Moraga Road Mrs. Agrati has worked as a salesperson the past six months.

Springhill Room Is Dance Hall Each Wednesday

Every Wednesday noon, the kindergarten room at the Springhill School is transformed into a social dance ballroom.

Youngsters in the two sixth grades began requesting such a program early in the fall, and after parent approval and school permission was granted, dancing began in earnest.

The group is supervised by teachers and children may either dance or observe.

Records are furnished by individuals in the group. While the "Hound Dog" varieties are in demand by the "boppers," the melody with a strong, definite tempo and moderate speed is most popular.

Sunset Rezoning Official March 15

Thirteen Sunset Village lots will officially become a Two-Family-Residential District (R-2) March 15 following last week's acceptof the rezoning ordinance by the County Board of Supervisors.

Rezoned from a Single-Family-Residential District (R-1) are Lots 11, 12 20, 21, 22, 49, 75, 76, 77, 93, 95, 98 and 99. They are owned by John Rosso and other Sunset Village landowners.

Rezoning requests for the lots, excepting Lots 11 and 12, were approved by the board December 18 in the face of much opposition from residents in a series of hearings.

Lots 11 and 12, whose rezoning was requested by owner Earl C. Buchanan during the hearings on the other lots, were sanctioned as part of the new R-2 district January 30.

Lions will Sell Rummage

Rummage will be on sale Sunday from 9 a.m. on at Miller's Rummage Room, 2049 San Pablo Avenue, Berkeley, during the annual Rummage sale of the Orinda Lions Club.

Proceeds will be used for aid to the blind and for other charitable causes.

Merchants of Rheem Center Form Association

Merchants in Rheem Center have organized "to promote their mutual interests in business and community development."

This is the reason for the existence of the newly-formed Rheem Merchants Association, according to Mrs. Marion Devin, the acting secretary.

Although Rheem merchants have been informally organized for about a year, Mrs. Devin said that the area is growing so fast an organized group was essential.

The business got together last week to adopt by-laws and a constitution and elect a nominating committee for the group's first elections.

Heading the committee is Chairman Don Thatcher. Other committee members are Floyd Mooney, Bill McGuire and Jack Clark.

The committee is at present deciding on candidates for the organization's elections next Wednesday. Frank Kerrigan has been acting president.

Organization of the group will mean an expanding promotional program in Rheem Center, according to Mrs. Devin.

With all merchants of that area now represented, the organization is open to all new businesses in the rapidly growing community.

Soroptimists' Hats Reveal Professions

Hats representing a wide range of professions were worn by members of the Soroptimist International of Lafayette-Orinda at the organization's Fellowship Luncheon last week at El Nido Rancho.

Each member had created and wore an original chapeau representing her field.

A prize donated by Mary Lorentzen was to be awarded to the member with the outstanding hat, but because of the close competition it was decided to auction the prize at future meeting, proceeds to go to the Soroptimist service fund.

The meeting was concluded with short introduction of themselves by the group's three newest members, June Price, Barbara Neff and Vera Richardson.

Masons Will Hold Crab Feed

Acalanes Lodge 723, F. & A.M., will hold its annual "Crab Feed" next Tuesday evening at the Veterans Memorial Building, Lafayette, at 6 o'clock.

Junior Warden Don Strain is in charge of arrangements, and Walt Tickner will see that every person present has an ample supply of crab. Nate Hathorne will assist in the operation.

A large turnout is expected, as last year the Crab Feed brought forth the largest gathering of the year, according to Tom Pauli, Worshipful Master of Acalanes Lodge.

The dinner is not restricted to members of Acalanes Lodge, as sojourning Masons are invited.

Anyone wishing to attend may get in touch with H. T. "Doc" Crandell, secretary, at AT 4-4600.

Moraga Lions' Speech Contest Next Wednesday

Three Acalanes High School students will compete in the Moraga Lions Club student speakers' contest Wednesday night at Edy's in Rheem Center, at the club's dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m.

They are Jon Tibbetts, Peter Morressey and Sue Flint, according to Tom Carroll, student speakers contest chairman for the Moraga Lions.

WINNER of the club contest will compete against winners from the Orinda, Lafayette and Montclair Lions Clubs in the zone contest in mid-March.

Plaques will be presented to the Moraga Club contestants, Secretary Bill Wall said.

President Bob Bissonnete will conduct the club meeting Wednesday night.

The student speakers will talk on "My Place in the World in 1976."

THE CONTEST will progress through the club, zone, regional, sub-district and district levels.

Winner of the District 4 finals (for all of California and Nevada) will receive a $1500 scholarship to any accredited university or college of the student's choice.

Second and third place district winners will each reecive a $500 scholarship.

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Orinda Yo-yo Champions To Compete in Regionals

Yo-yo experts Grant Henderson and Joanne Diercks, winners of the recent Orinda School District Yo-yo Championships, will travel to San Lorenzo High School today to take part in the Regional competition.

Both are 7th graders at the Pine Grove School. They emerged winners over the best from each Orinda school in the local championships, sponsored by the Orinda Recreation Program.

COPPING second place honors were Susan Bailey and Allan Howard, both 5th graders at Sleepy Hollow. Other participants were:

Diane Edelin and Bob Young, 6th graders at Del Rey; Cynthia Mansfield and Hap Parks, 5th graders at Glorietta, and Susan Fernsten and Jim Trumbly, Orinda School 6th graders.

Each school was represented by its best boy-girl team. School winners were decided in earlier competitions.

MEANWHILE, some 150 Pine Grove 8th graders, recently organized into their own recreation club, are busy preparing for tomorrow night's "Hay Fever Hop," which will take place from 7:30 to 11 p.m. at Pine Grove.

Following the lead of teenage recreation club, which was organized early this year, the youngsters will use the dance proceeds to finance a March 30 ski trip.

The sport dance will cost 35 cents per person.

Under the leadership of advisors William Hestor and Donald Wacks, the new club is slating a wide range of activities. Any Orinda 8th grader is invited to join, according to recreation director Frank Isola.

TEMPORARY chairman of the group is Jonathan Jensen, but permanent officers will be elected at the club's meeting next Thursday evening at Pine Grove.

While the younger set in Orinda is enjoying the new program of recreational activity, their folks are having quite a ball, too.

The men's volleyball team recently went to Miramonte High School to accept the challenge of the men's team there. A successful acceptance it was, too, as the Miramonte men dropped four of five games.

Isola said that the team is seeking competition about once a month. Also in the planning stages is a volleyball team for women.

Orindans' 'Success Story' Told in National Magazines

Oakland's Allwork Manufacturing Company, as a supplier for General Motors, has made a million-dollar small business success story that's being told in national magazines this week.

Allwork is the property of Donn and Barbara Sigerson of Orinda.

Work, brains, and courage is the recipe the couple has used to parlay their small savings into a business with more than a million dollars annual sales volume in less than 10 years.

THE SIGERSONS' story is being told, starting today, in a GM advertisement in such national publications as Life, Saturday Evening Post, Time, Newsweek, U. S. News and World Report and Reader's Digest.

Immediately after World War II ended, Donn and Barbara were married. Donn, an engineer, and Barbara, a trained industrial designer, put their small savings and large hopes into a toy company and named it "Allwork Manufacturing Company."

They developed a child's scooter as a successful product but the steel shortage stopped that development.

So Barbara designed an aluminum toy called "Tumble Tub." Then the Korean War caused a metals shortage.

CASTING AROUND for a new avenue of production, Donn found that General Motors Chevrolet Division was expanding and trying to line up some small suppliers in Northern California.

He proved to Chevrolet that he could manufacture shims, a tiny piece of metal used to level the fit of a car body to its chassis, and the GM Division gave him a succession of orders that put "Allwork" in good shape.

Now Allwork produces 45 different types of parts for Chevrolet and half a dozen parts for the Buick-Oldsmobile-Pontiac Assembly Division's plant in South Gate, Calif., and other parts for other automobile manufacturers.

With their sales volume over $1,000,000, the Sigersons are now forming their own trucking company subsidiary and have a product research division of their own, named Work-Rite Products.

Vallecito PTA Benefit Film to Depict 'Our Sun'

"Our Mr. Sun," a humorous color film on the origin, functions and future of the sun, will be the Benefit Movie of the Vallecito PTA, to be shown at 10 a.m., March 9, at the Stanley School.

Admission is children 25 cents, adults 50 cents.

Four colored cartoons will be shown in addition to the educational film.

Chairman of the benefit showing, Mrs. Muriel Funk, stated that the film will be interesting to all children, and urges all to be present.

Mrs. Funk also reminds those interested in brushing up on their bridge to join the bridge lessons, to be given by Mrs. Robert Brigante. The classes will be held at Mrs. Funk's Happy Valley Road home starting today at 10:30 a.m.

Covenant Women Discuss Gardens

"Planting Our Spring Gardens" was the topic for discussion at the recent meeting of the Covenant Women's Association of the Lafayette Covenant Church.

Mrs. Morris Bergessen was in charge of the program, which was held at the home of Mrs. Douglas Olson.

Hostesses for the evening, Mrs. Olson and Mrs. Bud Hillberg, sang the duet, "In the Garden of My Heart."

Missionary sewing was accomplished during the meeting and plans were made to sponsor an old fashioned box social for members and guests sometime in April.

Girl Scouts of District to Meet

A general meeting of Orinda District Girl Scouts will be held in the Hillside Room of the Orinda Community Church at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Five year pins will be presented. Any scout who is eligible to receive a pin should contact Mrs. Fernsten at CL 4-2917.

Slides of Sierra Woodland, the established camp for Diablo Girl Scouts, will be shown.

All leaders, co-leaders, troop chairmen and interested adults are also invited to attend.

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Troop 151

A Court of Awards was held by Troop 151, Orinda Intermediate Girl Scouts, on February 15 at the home of Mrs. Burton Kohler. Parents of the girls were guests.

The girls chose an international theme for the vent and dressed in native costumes of various countries. Talks were given on Girl Scouting in other lands.

Mrs. Richard L e l a n d, troop leader, had drawn a map of international scouting. Each girl put a penny for each year of her age into a slot above the various countries for the Juliet Low World Friendship Fund.

The refreshment table was decorated by a Japanese parasol under which were dolls of many countries.

Examples of the work done by the g r o u p for various badges were on display.

Members of the troop are Susan Barkley, Cindy Gravelle, Karen Stafford, Patty Gillivan, Kitty Leland, Sally Skaggs, Janie Seaman, Terry Kohler and Carol Barnett.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF GOVERNING BOARD MEMBER ELECTION

1 Member of the Moraga School District
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1 Member of the Contra Costa County Board of Education
1 Member of the Contra Costa County Jr. College District IV

Notice is Hereby Given to the Voters of the Above Districts of the County of Contra Costa, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Boards of the said districts will be held on the third Friday of May, namely, May 17, 1957 for the purpose of electing the number of members of the governing boards of the districts as indicated above.

The polls will be kept open between the hours of 3 o'clock p.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. The election returns will be canvassed at 9 o'clock a.m. on June 3, 1957, by the county superintendent of schools, Court House, Martinez.

Deadline for the receipt of absentee ballots is June 2, 1957.

Forms for declaration of candidacy may be obtained at the office of the county superintendent of schools, Court House, Martinez. The last day for filing declarations is April 17, 1957.

The polls will be located at Moraga School for Moraga Special Precinct No. 1 which shall include the area within the Moraga School District.

February 6, 1957
B. O. WILSON
County Superintendent of Schools
By Harold DeFraga
O-829. Orinda Sun, Feb. 15, 22, March 1, 1957.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
ON AN APPLICATION FOR A LAND USE PERMIT

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, that on Wednesday, March 13, 1957, at the hour of 7:30 P.M. of said day, in the meeting room of the Administration Building, corner of Pine and Escobar Streets, Martinez California, THE BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT WILL consider the application of Avraham Yedidia (Applicant and Owner) for a Conditional Use For a fence within required sideyard. Height of 8 ft. to 10 ft. as provided under THE ZONING ORDINANCE of the COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA.

The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit; 120 ft. on south side of Ardillo Rd. and 100 ft. east of North Lane.

J. P. CONNORS
CHAIRMAN OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
O-837. Orinda Sun, March 1, 1957.

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The property above referred to is described as follows, to-wit; Lots 1 to 7 (incl.) Tract 2316 fronting 173 ft. on the southside of Donna Maria Way approx. 50 ft. west of El Camino Moraga.

J. P. CONNORS
CHAIRMAN OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION
O-838. Orinda Sun, March 1, 1957.

Troop 232

The Girl Scouts of Troop 232 held a Court of Awards at the Scout Hut at Orinda Park Pool on February 15. Parents of the girls were guests.

The girls received proficiency badges which they had earned either individually or as a group over the last few months.

A play based on "The Pied Piper of Hamlin" was presented. This helped the girls earn the Player Badge.

Troop Leader is Mrs. D. M. Wilkes. Members of the troop are Pam Ambler, Pam Anderson, Barbara Bole, Barbie Brush, Sandy Coates, Terry Coleman, Laura Hupp, N a n c y Jeppson, Marlene Leslie, Terri Loveland, Lois Morness, C a r o l Thurston, Shelley Wilkes and Sherry Wilson.

8th-grade Moms Will Discuss Graduation Fests

Graduation dresses, ties and celebrations will be major topics Monday morning when mothers of 8th graders meet to plan for the Pine Grove class of '57.

The meeting, scheduled for 10 o'clock in the school auditorium, is sponsored annually by the Orinda Mothers Club.

All mothers of 8th grade students are invited to help plan graduation week festivities and to decide on graduation dress for both girls and boys.

In announcing the meeting, President Mrs. Charles Erickson emphasized that this will be the only meeting for graduation plans, and that all committee chairmen will be appointed at that time.

Assisting in arrangements are Mrs. Russell Gilwee, Pine Grove S c h o o l coordinator, and Mrs. Stewart Kimball, room mother chairman.

Residents to Get Pool Applications

Orinda residents living north of the Crossroads up to and including Charles Hill Road and Charles Hill Circle will be issued applications to join the Orinda Park Pool March 9 from 9 a.m. to noon at at the pool canteen.

Residents who were not pool members in 1956, or who were members last year but failed to renew their memberships are eligible to join.

All applications are to be returned by mail by March 18.

Applications from residents of Orinda Park Terrace will be given preference. These must be returned in the official envelopes that will be distributed.

Applicants now on the pool's waiting list n e e d not reapply. They will be notified when memberships are available.

Delegates Represent Orinda at GOP Meets

Five members represented the Orinda Republican Women's Club at meetings of the Northern Division of the California Federation of Republican Women Wednesday and yesterday in San Mateo.

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All Detergent, 10 lb. 2.39
Bab-o Cleanser, reg. size 2/25c
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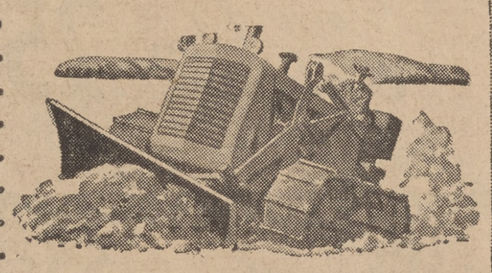

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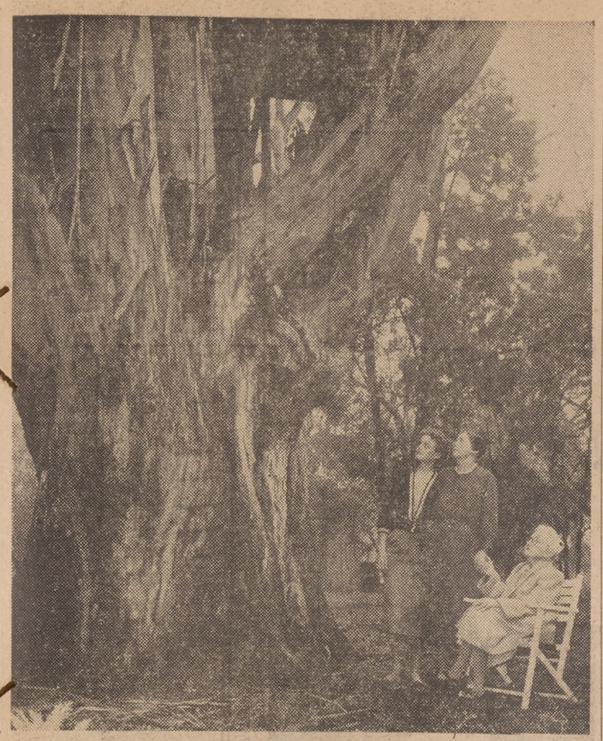

SEATED NEAR one of the first eucalyptus trees planted in Central Contra Costa County is Grace Putnam, of the pioneer Putnam family. With her are Mrs. Betty Kistler and Mrs. Bernice Beatie. The history of the tree and of the pioneer families stands as a mute history of the central county area.

—Sun photo by Don Bradley

Huge Eucalyptus Tells Tale Of Central County History

By ESTELLE GIRANDE

More than 100 years of Central Contra Costa history is interwoven with the history of a few pioneer families. On her 93rd birthday, Mrs. Grace A. Putnam reminisced about those early years—the many "firsts" enjoyed by her and her family—their mark, even now, upon the familiar landscape.

The Putnams, the Hooks, the Shueys, the eucalyptus trees—all entwined in the historical development of Pleasant Hill and Walnut Creek.

They were all born here, and for the most part—lived and died here. They and their children attended the "first" schools in the community, and today their descendants are enrolled at the local schools.

IT WAS IN 1855 when Henry Shuey bought an initial piece of property, put up a few buildings, and named "The Corners." Later he parceled off the property selling to several people who in turn changed the name of the thriving community to "Walnut Creek."

In 1856 the first known eucalyptus seeds arrived from Australia. (Sydney, Australia was no farther away from New York or Boston in those days.) During the next score of years, the seeds were planted widely, giving the California landscape its distinctive character. Yet every one of those rapid-growing giants was planted by man!

It was a quiet observance of her birthday for Mrs. Grace A. Putnam, great-granddaughter of Henry Shuey, with a few friends and members of the family dropping by. As always, she was found sitting in her favorite chair near the front window gazing out at the 80-foot eucalyptus tree which dominates the garden area of her home at 123 Belle Avenue.

The twice-topped, sturdy, thick-trunked tree still holds the remnants of a tree house built years ago by grandchildren now adults.

ALERT, WITH the lone complaint of impaired hearing, Mrs. Putnam enjoys and is aware of the tremendous changes taking place here. She reads, sews, listens to the radio, and TV. But her great joy is the two remaining trees that she regards "like members of the family," and believes them to be the "first" such tres planted in the area.

She recalled, "I was a young girl, so perhaps it was about the middle of 1870s when one day mother took the stage to Oakland and got into a conversation with a professor at the University of California. Dr. Bollinger told mother about the wonderful, rapid-growing trees in Australia, and since he had received some seeds, he would gladly share them with her."

"Naturally, mother never did expect him to remember to send them. Imagine her delight when, it must have been a week later, the package of seeds arrived. We children watched her plant nine of them. The balance she gave to grandmother, Mrs. Miranda Hook, and our neighbor, John Larkey."

MRS. HOOK planted hers along Hookston Road where today Miss Mildred Hook resides. Larkey planted the strip that is the northeast corner of Geary Road and Contra Costa Highway for one-half mile south to Walnut Creek—a familiar landscape until recently torn down because of the freeway.

In 1910 her father swapped a piece of property for an eight-passenger Winston car. Mrs. Putnam had the original owner teach her how to drive. This was many years before any woman dare dream of driving those "new angled contraptions" — or many a man. Naturally she attracted much attention, particularly since she was a slightly built woman. She continued to drive an automobile until past her 80th birthday.

Another "first" in the family archives was an uncle, James Hook, who was a member of the first graduating class at the University of California in Berkeley.

"My husband was one of the people responsible for Mt. Diablo High School," Mrs. Putnam proudly recalled. "I'm afraid our neighbors were not especially interested in higher education, but George was. After all, we did not want to send our five children to schools outside the community."

MRS. PUTNAM was born in Pacheco on February 8, 1864 to Rufus Brackett and the former Amanda Hook. Her father and uncle, Elijah Hook, operated the general store in the community of 500 residents. Upstairs above the store, a county newspaper was also being born.

Maternal grandfather, William Hook, founder of the pioneer Hook family, was owner of a warehouse and docks to which ships steamed up to in Pacheco, only a few years earlier. His wife, Mary Brown Hook, often told granddaughter Grace Brackett about her trip across the plains when she was 12 years old.

Upon her graduation from Pleasant Hill Elementary School, Grace Brackett studied with Mrs. Jane Weeks, also a member of a pioneer family. Later she substituted at the local school, where she served as clerk of the board of trustees for many years.

VAN PUTNAM lives across the road with his wife, Alice, who is on the curriculm teaching staff of the Walnut Creek School District. Mrs. Frances Putnam, wife of the late George B. Putnam lives nearby with her son, Robert K., who is a special police officer.

Another daughter, Dorothy Putnam Kistler, wife of John Kistler, lives in San Francisco with daughters Pamela and Betty Kistler. Betty attends East Contra Costa Junior College and is presently with the Van Putmans.

Four great-grandsons live with their mother, Mrs. Clair Putnam Douglas. The boys are Richard 18, attending the Junior College; William, a sophomore at Pleasant Hill High School; Donald, 10, Pleasant Hill Intermediate; and James, 9, attends Pleasant Hill Elementary School.

Regarding recent developments in the community, Mrs. Putnam remarked that in 1930 she paid $40 in taxes. This year her tax bill was $400. However, she believes that this is part of the price of progress.

"MY FAMILY drove me around to see the freeway and other developments. I found them unbelieveable, and wondered what my uncle, Vincent Hook, would say to all that is happening here," she said.

"However, my husband always predicted that this area would be a suburb of the Bay Area. I only wish he too had lived to see his prophecy come true."

Ready for an A Bomb? Do you keep your car gas tank ½ full? Have you food and water for 7 days?

Written Decision on PIE Awaited by Association

Orinda Association directors, meeting in the Orinda School auditorium, emphasized Monday night that whether or not further action is taken in the matter of the Pacific Intermountain Express Company dispute will not be decided for some time.

This attitude was voiced after Gladys Schwatka, association attorney, pointed out it will be a few weeks before Superior Judge Allen Norris of Alameda County issues his written decision.

"We will have 60 days after the written decision is handed down in which to appeal," she said.

The judge recently announced that the Orinda Association's injunction suit against PIE, to prevent the firm from building a $750,000 office headquarters at the Pine Grove, was denied.

Association President W. E. Estes declared he could not speak for the Board of Directors until the board has acted, and he denied having stated that the association was in favor of continuing the fight against PIE.

Home Move Poses Slum Area Threat Supervisors Told

The serious threat of slum areas developing in the agricultural and suburban areas of Contra Costa was related to the County Board of Supervisors Tuesday by County Building Inspector Rudy Kraintz.

Kraintz informed the supervisors that over 400 homes are being moved in Contra Costa County due to highway and roadway construction. These homes, said Kraintz, are being "bunched" in substandard tracts in agricultural areas and threaten to develop into slums.

KRAINTS ASKED the board to give him some power in setting standards for house moving and for control of construction in rural areas.

There are no county standards for construction on agricultural properties in excess of 10 acres, he said.

"There is no way ,at present, to enforce minimum safety standards in the heating, plumbing, electrical and structural work in the moved homes," said Kraintz.

Ray Taylor, chairman of the board, instructed Kraintz to meet with Francis Collins, district attorney, to see if there was any solution to the growing problem.

Kraintz said that most of the houses being moved are from the Pleasant Hill, Lafayette, Walnut Creek section of the county where major highway work has been going on the past few years.

MOST OF THESE homes end up in the Brentwood-Oakley area. In cases where a house is moved into a residential area, the home must be up to county standards within 90 days or the inspector may order the house torn down.

This right was won by the building inspectors office after a long drawn uot battle in Martinez several years ago.

In the residential area the house must be of a like standard as the other homes in the area.

The building inspector, in the rural areas, may suggest corrections be made but has no authority to demand that they be made or charge the tenant for any corrections made by the department.

Kraintz mentioned that the public utility companies had been helpful by refusing service to some moved houses which were so sub-standard as to present a safety menace until steps were taken to eliminate the hazards.

KRAINTZ WISHED that all types of building, remodeling and new be controlled by a new ordinance.

Kraintz warned that moved homes are popping up singly and in groups all over the county. The greatest slum problem is a 200 home tract on 40 acres between Oakley and Brentwood, he claimed.

Changing Values Of Youth to be Told HS Moms

Members of the Orinda High School Mothers' Club will learn about "The Changing Sense of Values in Teenagers" when they meet Monday morning at the home of Mrs. Charles J. Gibbs, 134 Sleepy Hollow Lane, Orinda.

Speaking on the subject will be Mrs. Stuart LeRoy Anderson of the Pacific School of Religion. Mrs. Anderson is a director of both the University of California Y.W.C.A. and the Berkeley and Albany Council of Churches and is a member of the Northern California Council of Churches.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting.

Pizziol to Southland

Angelo Pizziol, 1631 Wendy Drive, Pleasant Hill, will report to the Navy Construction School, Port Hueneme, California, Sunday for two weeks training duty.

SeaBee Pizziol drills with USNR CB Division 12-3, at the East Bay Naval Reserve Training Center, 2144 Clement Avenue, Alameda.

Shop at home and save!

LEGAL NOTICE

RESOLUTION NO. 1010
RESOLUTION PROPOSING TO AMEND RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NO. 954 AS TO THE HEREIN DESCRIBED PARTICULARS FIXING THE TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON THE PROPOSAL TO AMEND SAID RESOLUTION AND DIRECTING THE CLERK TO GIVE NOTICE OF SAID HEARING.

WHEREAS, Resolution of Intention No. 954 for the construction of sewers and appurtenances in Local Improvement District No. 34 did provide as stated in said Resolution, which is by reference made a part hereof and the District Board proposes to change the provisions of said Resolution of Intention;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: that it is hereby proposed to amend said Resolution of Intention by providing that the said Resolution be amended to read as follows:

As stated in "Amendment No. 1 to Resolution of Intention Local Improvement District No. 34" which by reference made a part hereof as Exhibit I.

That the estimated cost of the work is hereby proposed to be $126,692.27.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the 4th day of April, 1957, at 8:00 o'clock P.M., is hereby fixed as the day and hour and the meeting place of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District located at 1250 Springbrook Road, Walnut Creek, as the place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the aforesaid proposal to amend said Resolution of Intention may appear before said District Board and show cause why said proposed amendment should not be adopted.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that this District Board hereby directs the Clerk to give notice of the time and place of the aforesaid hearing by publishing the same once in the Orinda Sun; said publication shall be made at least ten (10) days prior to the date herein fixed for the hearing on the proposal to amend said Resolution of Intention.

EXHIBIT I
AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO RESOLUTION OF INTENTION LOCAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 34

Eliminations and additions to the proposed work in the following streets and easements in said Sanitary District and in said Local Improvement District as they and the proposed work in relation thereto are shown and as amended on Sheet 2 of said plans and specifications:

Eliminations:

1. Unnamed Road IV, located at the northeastern terminus of Brookbank Road, for its entire length excepting the eastern 65 feet.

2. EASEMENT, (Parcel 4) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 23 feet in width, the northern line of which is parallel with and 23 feet northerly, measured at right angles, from the southern line, said southern line being described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the eastern line of the parcel of land described as Parcel 1 in the deed to Robert C. Spott, et ux, recorded June 24, 1954, under Recorder's Serial No. 31766, in Volume 2338 of Official Records of said County, at page 1, said point bears north 10° 35' west, 218.59 feet from the southeastern corner of said Spott parcel (2338 O.R. 1); thence from said point of beginning south 75° 02' west, 61.82 feet to an angle point in the southern line of said Spott parcel (2338 O.R. 1).

3. EASEMENT, (Parcel 7) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the western line of the parcel of land described in the deed to John C. Epperson, et ux, recorded December 6, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 57788, in Volume 1861 of Official Records of said County, at page 535, said point bears north 10° 35' west, 237.99 feet from the southwestern corner of said Epperson parcel (1861 O.R. 535); thence from said point of beginning north 69° 53' east, 4.79 feet; thence north 84° 39' 30" east, 300.00 feet more or less to a point on the northern line of said Epperson parcel (1861 O.R. 535).

Additions:

1. Unnamed Road IV, located at the northeastern terminus of Brookbank Road, for its entire length.

2. Easement (Parcel 7, R-1) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the western line of the parcel of land described as Parcel 1 in the deed to John C. Epperson, et ux, recorded December 6, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 57788, in Volume 1861 of Official Records of said County at page 535, said point bears north 10° 35' west, 228.94 feet from the southwestern corner of said Epperson parcel (1861 O.R. 535); thence from said point of beginning north 80° 23' 30" east, 3.17 feet; thence north 79° 33' 30" east, 112.56 feet; thence north 84° 39' 30" east, 188 feet; more or less, to a point on the northeastern line of said Epperson parcel (1861 O.R. 535).

Also, eliminations and additions to the proposed construction of sanitary sewers and appurtenances, in accordance with said plans and specifications outside of said Local Improvement District No. 34 and inside of Local Improvement District No. 22 and in the following streets and easements within said Sanitary District as they and the proposed work in relation thereto are shown on Sheet 2 of said plans and specifications:

Eliminations:

1. Lombardy Lane, from existing M.H. "C" located therein 175 feet northerly from the southern terminus thereof, easterly across Lombardy Lane to the western terminus of Easement (Parcel 1) hereinafter described.

2. Miner Road, from M. H. 1 to be located therein, 20 feet easterly from the eastern terminus of Easement (Parcel 1) hereinafter described, to M.H. 2 to be located therein, 20 feet southerly from the southwestern terminus of Brookbank Road.

3. EASEMENT (Parcel 1) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeastern line of the parcel of land described as Parcel 1 in the deed to Harold P. Shoener, et ux, recorded June 5, 1953, under Recorder's Serial No. 29606, in Volume 2137 of Official Records of said County, at page 211, said point bears south 37° 50' 20" west, 74.09 feet from the southeastern corner of said parcel; thence from said point of beginning north 72° 04' west, 66.27 feet to a point on the western line of said parcel.

Additions:

1. Lombardy Lane, from M. H. 1 to be located therein, 38 feet northwesterly from the northwestern terminus of Easement (Parcel 1, R-1) hereinafter described. to the northwestern terminus of said Easement (Parcel 1, R-1) hereinafter described.

2. Miner Road, from M.H. 1-A to be located therein, 20 feet southeasterly from the southeastern terminus of Easement (Parcel 29) hereinafter described, to M.H. 2 to be located therein, 20 feet southerly from the southwestern terminus of Brookbank Road.

3. EASEMENT (Parcel 1, R-1) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeastern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to Harold P. Shoener, et ux, recorded June 5, 1953, under Recorder's Serial No. 29606, in Volume 2137 of Official Records of said County, at page 211, said point bears south 0° 50' 25" east, 168.01 feet from the most northern corner of said Shoener parcel (2137 O.R. 211); thence from said point of beginning north 73° 19' 30" west, 70.76 feet to a point on the northwestern boundary of said Shoener parcel (2137 O.R. 211), said point bears southwesterly along said northwestern boundary, 162.58 feet from the most northern corner of said Shoener parcel (2137 O.R. 211).

4. EASEMENT (Parcel 29) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeastern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to Frank L. Zorzie, et ux, recorded November 6, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 52900, in Volume 1846 of Official Records of said County, at page 546, said point bears north 37° 50' 20" east, 74.61 feet from the most southern corner of said Zorzie parcel (1846 O.R. 546); thence from said point of beginning north 73° 19' 30" west, 48.98 feet to a point on the western line of said Zorzie parcel (1846 O.R. 546), said point bears north 0° 50' 25" west, 72.96 feet from the most southern corner of said Zorzie parcel (1846 O.R. 546).

Eliminations and additions to the proposed work in the following streets and easements in said Sanitary District and in said Local Improvement District as they and the proposed work in relation thereto are shown and as amended on Sheet 2 of said plans and specifications:

Eliminations:

1. EASEMENT, (Parcel 8) in Rancho El Sobrante, beginning at a point on the southern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to Andrew A. Knudsen, et ux, recorded September 13, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 43510, in Volume 1820 of Official Records of said County, at page 221, said point bears easterly along the arc of a curve to the right with a radius of 104.35 feet an arc distance of 22.83 feet from the northwestern corner of the parcel of land described in the deed to Walter R. Reid, et ux, recorded February 27, 1953, under Recorder's Serial No. 9616 in Volume 2077 of Official Records of said County, at page 314; thence from said point of beginning along the southern line of said Knudsen parcel (1820 O.R. 221) to the eastern terminus of a line in said southern line having a bearing of north 66° 10' 20" east and having a length of 21.48 feet; thence leaving said southern line north 23° 49' 40" east, 10.00 feet; thence westerly in a direct line to a point which bears north 45° 19' 30" east, 10.00 feet from the point of beginning; thence south 45° 19' 30" west, 10.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Additions:

1. EASEMENT. (Parcel 8, R-1) **Sub-Parcel A:**, in Rancho El Sobrante, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southern boundary of the parcel of land described in the deed to Andrew A. Knudsen, et ux, recorded September 13, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 43510, in Volume 1820 of Official Records of said County, at page 221, said point being the northwestern corner of the parcel of land described in the deed to Walter R. Reid, et ux, recorded February 27, 1953, under Recorder's Serial No. 9616 in Volume 2077 of Official Records of said County, at page 314; thence from said point of beginning in a generally southeasterly direction along the southern boundary of said Knudsen parcel (1820 O.R. 221), to the eastern terminus of a line in said southern boundary having a bearing of north 66° 10' 20" east and having a length of 21.48 feet; thence leaving said southern boundary north 23° 49' 40" east 10.00 feet; thence westerly in a direct line to a point which bears north 32° 32' 30" east, 10.00 feet from the point of beginning, thence south 32° 32' 30" west, 10.00 feet to the point of beginning.

Eliminations and Additions to the proposed work in the following streets and easements in said Sanitary District and in said Local Improvement District as they and the proposed work in relation thereto are shown and as amended on Sheet 3 of said plans and specifications:

Eliminations:

1. RANCH ROAD, the northeastern 115 feet thereof.

2. EASEMENT, (Parcel 9) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:.

Beginning at a point on the southeastern line of the parcel of land described as Parcel 1 in the deed to Alden Macomber, et ux, recorded December 6, 1935, under Recorder's Serial No. 12429, in Volume 403 of Official Records of said County, at page 295, said point bears north 15° 28' east, 25.71 feet from the southeastern corner of said Macomber parcel (403 O.R.) 295); thence from said point of beginning north 22° 24' west, 189.55 feet; thence north 48° 33' east, 109.54 feet to a point on the southwestern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to George J. Culp, et ux, recorded July 9, 1946, under Recorder's Serial No. 23571, in Volume 844 of Official Records of said County at page 305.

3. EASEMENT, (Parcel 28) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southwestern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to Lester Hurd, et ux, recorded January 17, 1940, under Recorder's Serial No. 1126, in Volume 536 of Official Records of said County, at page 183, said point bears south 55° 26' east, 20.00 feet from the most western corner of said parcel; thence from said point of beginning north 34° 34' east, 15.00 feet into said Hurd parcel (536 O.R. 183).

Additions:

1. EASEMENT, (Parcel 9, R-1) in Rancho El Sobrante, being a strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southern line of the parcel of land described as Parcel 1 in the deed to Alden Macomber, et ux, recorded December 6, 1935, under Recorder's Serial No. 12429, in Volume 403 of Official Records of said County, at page 295, said point bears north 85° 12' 30" west, 137.98 feet from the southeastern corner of said Macomber parcel (403 O.R. 295); thence from said point of beginning north 3° 24' 30" east, 145.07 feet; thence north 52° 04' 30" east, 151.13 feet; thence north 48° 33' east, 35.22 feet to a point on the southwestern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to George J. Culp, et ux, recorded July 9, 1946, under Recorder's Serial No. 23571, in Volume 844 of Official Records of said County, at page 305, said point bears north 33° 32' west, 129.49 feet from the most southern corner of said Culp parcel (844 O.R 305).

2. EASEMENT, (Parcel 8, R-1) **Sub-Parcel B:**, in Rancho El Sobrante, described as follows:

A strip of land 10 feet in width, the center line of which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northern line of the parcel of land described in the deed to Andrew A. Knudsen, et ux, recorded September 13, 1951, under Recorder's Serial No. 43510, in Volume 1820 of Official Records of said County, at page 221, said point bears north 85° 12' 30" west, 137.98 feet from the northeastern corner of said Knudsen parcel (1820 O.R. 221); thence from said point of beginning south 13° 24' 30" west, 116.00 feet more or less to the southern boundary of said Knudsen parcel (1820 O.R. 221).

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of February, 1957, by the following vote:

AYES: Members: Mitchell, Spiegl, Salfingere and Fisher
NOES: Members: None
ABSENT: Member: Roemer

/s/ RAYMOND W. FISHER, JR.
President of the District
Board of Central Contra Costa Sanitary District of Contra Costa County, State of California

COUNTERSIGNED:
/s/ CLAUDE M. McPHEE
Secretary of the District Board of Central Contra Costa Sanitary District of Contra Costa County, State of California

O835, Or. Sun, 3/1/57

LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE INVITING SEALED BIDS
(Local Improvement Distriet No. 34)

Pursuant to the provisions of the Improvement Act of 1911 and to the Resolution of the CENTRAL CONTRA COSTA SANITARY DISTRICT of February 21, 1957, ordering said work, said District Board hereby invites sealed bids and proposals for doing the work and improvement described in Resolution of Intention No. 954, said Resolution being hereby referred to for a description of said work and improvement, the grades to which it is to be done, a description of the District to be assessed to pay the costs and expenses thereof, the bonds to be issued, and for all further particulars contained in said Resolution.

Reference is hereby further made to the plans and specifications and detailed drawings for said work on file in the office of the Secretary of said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District in accordance with which said work shall be done. Said plans, specifications and contract document forms are available for examination without charge and may be secured by making deposit of TWENTY AND NO/100THS DOLLARS ($20.00) at the office of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, 1250 Springbrook Road, Walnut Creek, California, which deposit will be refunded upon the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within TEN (10) days after the date of opening of bids.

Notice is further given that the District board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California, has established a prevailing rate and scale of wages in accordance with law to-wit:

CLASSIFICATION	SCALE PER HR.
CARPENTERS	
(Health and Welfare 10c per hour)	
Journeyman Carpenter	$3.00
Foremen to receive 33c per hour above the journeyman classification	
CEMENT MASONS	
(Health and Welfare, 10c per hour) (1½ times overtime first 2 hours. Double time thereafter.)	
Journeyman	2.995
Foreman	3.245
ENGINEERS	
(Health and Welfare, 10c per hour)	
Apprentices	2.705
Compressor Operator	2.705
Compressors, more than one	3.035
Concrete Mixers (up to one yard)	2.705
Derricks (including Chicago booms)	3.255
Handi-Crane (no oiler required)	3.145
Heavy Duty Repairman and/or Welder	3.095
Heavy Duty Repairman Helper	2.705
Pavement Breakers, Emsco type and similar types of equipment	3.145
Power Blade Loader	3.325
Power Grader, Power Planer, Motor Patrol or any type power blade	3.255
Power Shovels and/or other excavating equipment with shovel-type controls (up to and including one yard)	3.425
Pump Operator	2.705
Rollers	3.095
Ross Carriers (on construction job-site)	2.815
Scoopmobile (when used as a hoist)	2.985
Scoopmobile (when used as a loader)	3.145
Spreader Machines (Barber Green, Jaeger, etc.) (engineer and screed man used in operation)	3.095
Tractors	3.095
Tractors (boom)	3.255
Tractor-type Shovel Loader (scale not to apply when used as a blade or bulldozer)	3.255
Trenching Machine	3.145
Truck-type Loader	3.255
Foremen	3.375
Crews working underground shall receive $1.00 per day over and above the regular rate.	
IRON WORKERS	
(Health and Welfare, 10c per hour)	
Reinforced, Iron Worker, Rodman	3.15
Rigging, Structural, Bridge, Ornamental (outside)	3.40
Welders	3.40
LABORERS	
(Health and Welfare, 10c per hour) (1½ times overtime, including Saturdays.)	
Group 1	
Barko and similar type Tampers	2.575
Blasters and Powdermen	2.575
Concrete and Magnesite Mixer (under ½ yard)	2.575
Cribbers	2.575
Drillers: Diamond, Core, Wagon and other mechanical drillers	2.575
Form Raisers	2.575
Headerboard	2.575
Kettlemen, potmen applying asphalt, laykold, creosote and similar type materials	2.575
Lagging, Sheeting, Whaling, Bracing, Trenchjacking, Handguided lagging hammer	2.575
Pavement Breakers, Jackhammers	2.575
Group 2	
Asphalt Shovelers	2.425
Loading and unloading, carrying and handling of all rods and materials used in reinforcing concrete construction	2.425
Vibrator and all pneumatic, gas and electric tools not in Group 1	2.425
Group 3	
All cleanup of debris, grounds and buildings	2.325
Concrete Laborers (wet or dry)	2.325
Construction Laborer	2.325
Flagmen, Watchman, Maintenance, Repair Trackmen and Road-beds (in tunnels 12½c per hour additional)	2.325
Gardeners, Horticultural and Landscape Laborers	2.325
General Laborers	2.325
Pipelayers, Caulkers, Banders and Pipe-wrappers shall receive $2.775 per hour.	
Burning and Welding in connection with Laborers' work shall be $2.625 per hour.	
Foremen shall receive $3.00 per hour.	
PLUMBERS, STEAMFITTERS (uptown)	
Health and Welfare, 10c per hour. 1½c per hour Apprentice-training fund. 25c per hour worked, Annual wage guaranteed fund; 5c per hour worked, Joint Industry Board fund.	
	Basic plus Vac, Allow.
Plumber Journeyman	$3.135 .30
Plumber Apprentices	Graduated Scale
Foremen, 50c per hour above journeyman	
General Foreman, 75c per hour above journeyman	
TEAMSTERS	
(Health and Welfare, 10c per hour.) (1½ times overtime, including Saturdays)	
Dump Trucks:	
Under 4 Yards (water level)	2.325
4 Yards and under 6 Yards (water level)	2.465
6 Yards and under 8 Yards (water level)	2.625
8 Yards and over (water level)	2.925
Transit Mix:	
Under 4 Yards	2.44
4 Yards and over	2.54
Flat-rack or Pickup carrying less than 10,500 lbs.	2.39
Flat-rack or Pickup carrying over 10,500 lbs.	2.52
Heavy Duty Transports	2.70
Water Wagon under 2,500 gal.	2.50
Water Wagon 2,500 gal. and over	2.60
Lift Jitney and Fork-lift Drivers	2.52
Road Oilers	2.49
Automotive Oiler or Greaser	2.465
Bootman	2.48
Ross Carrier or other type Carrier	2.73
Truck Repairman—job site construction	3.06
Truck Repairman Helpers—job site construction	2.56
Jetting Wagon	2.50
Tire Repairman (job site construction) This classification shall apply only where a full-time employee of contractor is assigned to the work at the sole discretion of the contractor	2.925
Where on a Greasing Truck an engineer-oiler and teamster-oiler interchangeable servicing both trucks and other equipment, their rate shall be identical with the exception of overtime, when the truck greaser shall be paid 1½ times for overtime	2.68
Combination Road Oiler and Bootman	2.83

Health and welfare plan payments are now in effect in all classifications as previously mentioned above.

Eight hours constitute a day's work unless otherwise specified. All overtime is double time, unless otherwise specified, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, double time.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN BIDDERS that it shall be mandatory upon the contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon all subcontractors under him, to pay not less than said general prevailing rates of per diem wages, as above listed, to all laborers, workmen and merchanics employed in the execution of the contract.

Anything to the contrary in the above wage scale notwithstanding, the Contractor and all subcontractors under him shall pay all their laborers, workmen, mechanics, and employees on said work a salary or wage at least equal to the prevailing salary or wage for the same quality of service rendered to private persons, firms or corporations under similar employment, within the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

The per diem wage rate is the hourly rate hereinabove mentioned established multiplied by the number of hours hereinabove mentioned as constituting the working day for the particular craft or type of workman.

Before submitting proposals, the bidder shall be licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division III of the Business and Professions Code, Chapter 37 of the Statutes of 1939, as amended, of the State of California, which provides for the registration and licensing of contractors.

Each bidder must submit with his proposal, a statement of his financial responsibility, technical ability and experience on the form to be furnished prospective bidders.

Each bidder shall submit with his bid on the form provided, the name and address of each subcontractor including the principal suppliers of materials and the portion of the work which each subcontractor will do. If the contractor fails to name the subcontractors in his proposal, he shall be deemed to have agreed to perform such portion of the work himself and shall not be permitted to subcontract said portion of work without previous written permission of the District Board.

The Contractor shall, in the performance of the work and improvements, conform to the Labor Code and other laws of the State of California applicable thereto and with special statutes pursuant to which proceedings hereunder are taken and which have not been superseded by the provisions of the Labor Code. Preference to labor shall be given only in the manner provided and required by law. Veterans and resident local labor shall be given preference by the Contractor, wherever possible, if skill and working ability permit without increasing the ultimate cost of the work and improvement to the Local Improvement District, the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, and its officers.

All proposals or bids shall be accompanied by a check payable to said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District and certified by a responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than ten (10%) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or by a bond for said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify, before any officer competent to administer an oath, in double the said amount and over and above all statutory exemptions or by a corporate surety bond to the satisfaction and approval of the Engineer. The proposal shall be made out on the form to be furnished prospective bidders, a copy of which is incorporated with the specifications.

Said proposals or bids shall be delivered to the Clerk of the District Board of the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District on or before the 21st day of March, 1957, at the hour of 8:00 P.M. of said date, at the office of said Central Contra Costa Sanitary District at 1250 Springbrook Road, Walnut Creek, Contra Costa County, State of California, said time being not less than ten (10) days from the time of the first publication or posting of said Notice. Bids will be opened on said day and hour. The District Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals or bids, should it deem this necessary for the public good, and also the bid of the bidder who has been delinquent or unfaithful in any former contract with the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District.

All bids shall be submitted on the understanding that all work thereunder shall be done pursuant to the Improvement Act of 1911 and that all of the applicable requirements thereof shall be made a part hereof, of the Local Improvement District proceedings, the bonds and the contract.

DATED: February 21, 1957.

/s/ CLAUDE M. McPHEE
Secretary, Central Contra Costa Sanitary District, County of Contra Costa, State of California

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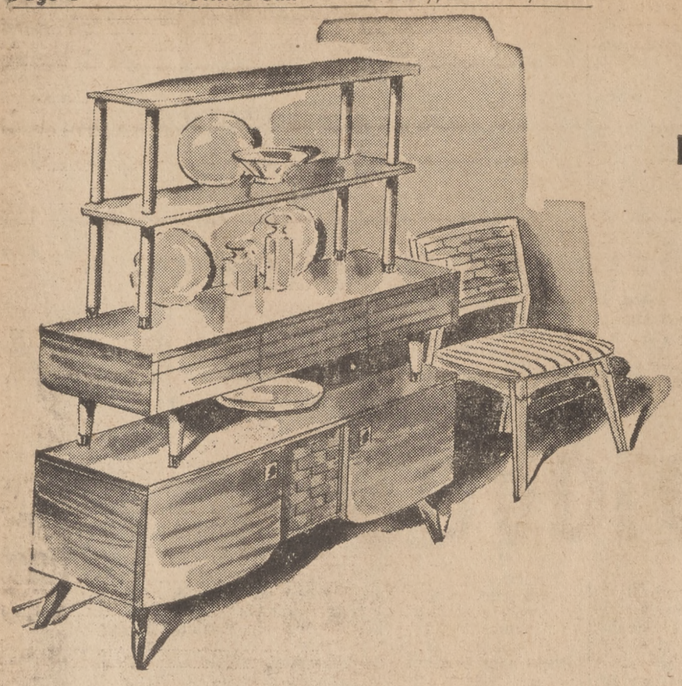

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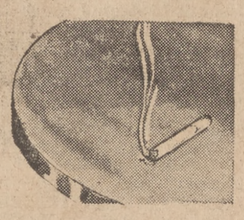

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SECOND SECTION
ORINDA SUN
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Local Thefts by Juveniles Pose Serious Problem

During the past few months local stores have been plagued with thefts by juveniles.

Petty thefts by juveniles are, of course, nothing new. They seem to vary with the season, as to ypes of articles stolen and as to quantities stolen.

Recently, some children were making lamps in a crafts project at school. While this work was in progress, the owner of a local hardware store not far from the school noticed that lamp materials and small tools had been stolen from his place.

In other local-area stores, toys have been stolen.

These thefts are by younger children and by teenagers. The perpetrators are not limited to any particular age-group.

It's true, of course, that a small minority of children do these things—but increasing apprehension is being felt.

Sometmes parents find the stolen goods at home, and have been known to bring their children and the articles to the store in question. Restitution is thus made, and the youngsters are reprimanded.

Other parents shrug the matter off with the observation that, after all, the theft was just a "juvenile prank" and hence is not to be considered seriously. Such an attitude is certainly one to be condemned, since it misses entirely the significance of the problem.

These minor thefts can lead to more serious infractions of the law — even to serious juvenile delinquency.

For example, windows of two local stores were recently cut, carefully and precisely, so as to permit entry by thieves. Guns were taken from one of these stores; toys were taken from the other.

In both these instances, the burglary was obviously committed by juveniles. Small footprints in the muddy ground near the windows were tantamount to proof of this.

Area high schools also suffer from the spreading wave of juvenile offenses. School authorities must watch property very carefully, to guard against repetitions of vandalism or burglary.

In recent months there has been a rash of hub cap thefts from cars, by juveniles.

In many cases of thefts from stores, the merchants catch the young thieves. Yet frequently, because they know the families of the youngsters, the merchants are reluctant to file charges.

However, there is a growing feeling that such cases should be turned over to the sheriff's office and that the probation officer should come into the picture.

Those who favor active jurisidiction by the law-enforcement agencies declare that laxity in such matters is, at best, misguided effort, whatever the intention. They point out that not only are store-thefts costly to merchants, but that, also, increasing numbers of youngsters seem to be "getting away with it."

All this is primarily the concern of parents. It is the duty of parents to see that their offspring learn the essentials of moral behavior and community responsibility.

It should also be the concern of schools, churches, governmental agencies and the entire community.

Keep Poisons Away From Children!!

Halt Those Cancer Quacks!

In California, as in a number of other states, the laws which prohibit medical quackery are hard to enforce and are often too lenient on violators. This situation assumes even more serious aspects than otherwise when cancer quacks are involved.

Cancer causes over 18,000 deaths in California each year. There is no way of knowing how many persons die needlessly because they have been bilked by the fake "cures" of quacks.

If treated early enough, cancer is often curable. But at present there are only three methods of curing cancer — surgery, X-ray and radium. The nature of the disease requires immediate treatment when the first symptoms appear. Therefore the quack frequently causes the individual to lose his only chance of survival.

Assemblyman Caspar Weinberger has introduced in the Legislature a bill aimed against the cancer quacks. This Cancer Board Bill — Assembly Bill 2359 — would set up a Cancer Board of 10 physicians, surgeons and osteopaths which would have authority to investigate drugs and devices used in treatment of cancer and to stop use of those found to be worthless.

Violations of the board's orders would be prosecuted under the Business and Professions Code and, if persisted in, could lead to revocation of a physician's or osteopath's license.

Sponsors of the bill are the American Cancer Society, California Division; the California Medical Association and the California Osteopathic Association.

There is no doubt that this measure should be passed. We suggest you write to Assemblyman Donald Doyle and State Senator George Miller Jr., urging adoption. And if you want further information on this, you can obtain it from the Contra Costa County Branch of the American Cancer Society, 2363 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Walnut Creek—phone, YE 4-7640.

This is a subject of year-round importance. The fact that April has been designated as "Cancer Control Month" — the period when the annual nationwide Cancer Crusade for funds is conducted — gives special timeliness to the problem.

Don't Quote Me, but . .

Remember--There's Only One February Each Year!

By DOROTHY PATTERSON

HEARTS AND — FLOWERS? . . . So the month of February is now over, and with it are gone all the gay, joyous occasions that mean so much to you and to me.

February 2 was Groundhog Day. Always sounds rather like a highway motto, doesn't it?

Boy Scouting celebrates its birthday on the 8th; Valentines were exchanged on the 14th; and on the 22nd, the U.S. celebrates Girl Scout Thinking Day.

All I know is what my calendar tells me.

Really, quite a full month . . .

Such a full month is February.

It contains the birthdays of three of our nation's finest Presidents and the birthday of my own daughter as well.

I doubt that she will ever be President or that the nation will celebrate her birthday; but this has become a crazy, mixed-up world, and who knows what can happen in it?

Take those Presidents, for example: George Washington, our first; William H. Harrison, our ninth, and Abe Lincoln, our 16th, were all good, February-born, tried and true patriots who worked faithfully for the preservation and enforcement of that most noble document — the Constitution of the United States.

They strove perseveringly

They were one of us — "We the People of the United States"—and they strove perseveringly to "form a more perfect Union."

Just look at the results today.

Also, these great Presidents strove to "establish Justice;" for the benefit of us future U.S. citizens.

But the world is rockin' and rollin' now, so brilliant men like Charles Van Doren, the highly informed Columbia University professor, earns $4000 a year, and a wiggling lad named Elvis Presley will earn $500,000 the next time he makes a movie.

Are you going in circles?

These are the things that keep "We the People" going around in circles today as of yore.

Even though the results aren't so good, the purpose of the Constitution is still beautiful and exemplary.

Through it our fine Presidents wanted us, their heirs, to have only the best. How hard they tried!

They even went so far out on a limb as to try to "insure domestic Tranquillity!"

Letters to The Editor

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Post Office Department, I am pleased to write this letter of commendation to you and your staff for your public spirited cooperation which contributed so much to the success of the 1956 Christmas mailing season.

The recent holiday mail moved smoothly and it was delivered promptly.

We in the Postal Service are proud of the part that we played in making sure that Christmas mail was delivered on time, but we realize that the success of the gigantic mail operation was due in a large measure to public cooperation in mailing early.

Postmaster L. G. Bornholtz of Walnut Creek has reported to this office that you gave exceptional cooperation in helping to encourage the public to mail early for Christmas.

Without such help we could never have succeedded as we did. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,
VERNE SCOGGINS
Regional Director

DEAR EDITOR:

It is with real pleasure that I send this congratulatory note to you on a job well done.

We at St. Mary's College are well aware of the large number of readers your papers enjoy, and we are sincerely happy to know that the California Newspapers Publishers' Association has honored the Suns with awards for general excellence and best women's interests coverage.

We congratulate you and your fine staff on your present and past success in Contra Costa County and wish you every succes in the future.

Sincerely,
Denny Garrehy
Director of Public Relations
St. Mary's College

CIVIL DEFENSE

Dear Editor:

I read with great interest your Civil Defense articles in The Sun of February 1, and on behalf of the Contra Costa County Office of Civil Defense and Disaster, wish to express our appreciation for your pointing up the urgency of developing family Civil Defense plans.

In your editorial, "Under the Sun," you made mention that there have been very few stories coming out of the County Civil Defense Office. I believe that this is an inaccurate statement.

This office has been commended by the Federal Civil Defense Authorities and the State of California, on doing one of the best jobs of public information and education at the county level, in the nation, and a check of our records reveals the following information covering the period January 1955 through January 1957.

During this period the office released 278 news releases to 30 different newspapers and radio stations covering Contra Costa County.

During this same period, the office sponsored 27 8-hour courses in Basic Civil Defense; 15 of these in the Lafayette, Orinda, Pleasant Hill area.

Three 37-hour Radiological Defense courses were conducted, with one being held at Acalanes High School and one at the Pleasant Hill Intermediate School.

During the period July 1, 1955, to June 30, 1956, this office distributed 87,506 Civil Defense pamphlets to the citizens of Contra Costa County, and during the period August, 1955, to January 31, 1957, 87,482 copies of our monthly newsletter were mailed to our Civil Defense volunteers and other interested people.

During the past two years personnel from this office made nearly 200 talks on Civil Defense before various Service Clubs, PTA Women's Groups and other Civil Groups within our county.

WILLIAM W. WARD
Director

TOO MUCH SPEED

He had a nice new motorcycle and he was pushing 80 when the California Highway Patrolman stopped him, talked to him about the dangers of speeding, and wrote out a citation.

Three days later he wash pushing 80 again when he lost control and tore into a truck. The same highway patrolman appeared on the scene, did very little talking, just wrote out his report on the fatal accident caused by too much speed.

Under The Sun

How About a Week End Vacation Right at Home?

By HERMAN SILVERMAN

Early last week Eleanor and I talked about taking the family somewhere for an over-night "vacation." Let's get away from it all! We thought of Carmel or the snow country or Sacramento. Then we took a look at the rainy weather. And then we took our two-day holiday—at home. We had loads of fun.

Saturday Eleanor, the kids and I jumped into the car and headed for Martinez. Most of the county buildings were closed but we peeked into the doors. But the highlight was a tour through the county jail. It was most interesting and informative. We had arranged for the tour ahead of time.

Exploring the county

Next, we decided to explore Eastern Contra Costa County. We spotted Buchanan Air Field, continued up Arnold Industrial Highway toward Pittsburg. (Another way is to go from Martinez to Port Chicago, seeing the oil refineries along the way.) Pittsburg and Antioch are fascinating to our youth of suburbia—U.S. Steel, Consolidated Can, Shell Chemical, Fibreboard, P.G.E. steam plants, to name just a few.

We inspected the yachts, big and small, at Pittsburg harbor and enjoyed crab cocktails on the dock. Both towns are certainly different than Central Contra Costa County and worthwhile visiting.

Farmer in the dell

In contrast to heavy industry are the farm and dairy lands around Oakley and Brentwood. Acres upon acres of beautiful country. The fruit trees just trying to bud.

Meanwhile, we took a side road for a few miles to see Bethel Island. Boats and harbors all over the place. It's a fast-developing recreation area.

From Brentwood, we started on another road home—through the long canyon areas into Clayton, skirting Concord, through Ygnacio Valley to Walnut Creek. This entire stretch was different. Small mountains, creeks, rolling hills, open fields—a most interesting trip.

Here's a check list

Have you explored these and other parts of the county? A few other suggestions: hiking in the Moraga hills, ride across the new Martinez-Benicia ferry, picnic or camping on Mt. Diablo, boating and fishing on the Sacramento River, tours of the various county offices (not Saturdays or holidays), see the Redwoods at Canyon, visit Tilden and other regional parks (of Alameda County), drive from Lafayette through Briones Valley to Orinda or through Alhambra Valley.

More ideas: visit John Muir's home near Martinez, take the river road from Martinez to Crockett, on to Richmond and cross the new San Rafael-Richmond Bridge, inspect Buchanan Field, drive through beautiful San Ramon Valley to Danville and on to Dublin, then visit Parks Air Force Base. There are a million ideas—if only the weeds in the garden would cooperate!

Sunday, we headed for San Francisco. On the Bridge, Eleanor said, "Why don't we see if we can visit Treasure Island."

Sure enough, they gave us a pass and in we went. We enjoyed every minute of it but the highlight was an unexpected tour of the Destroyer Picking. We were on the dock looking at the destroyers. Then, we met Lieut. Commander Guy Thompson, executive officer of the Picking.

From top to bottom

Well, what a nice fellow! He gave us a thorough tour of the ship, explained the guns, radar, compasses, flags and everything. His tremendous pride in his ship was delightful and heart warming—unequaled only by his evident love for the Navy. He impressed me more than a thousand news releases from the Navy.

After many farewells and thanks, we were off to San Francisco—for food and then Cinerama. It was a day of fun. It was certainly more fun because Mark, Dan and Janet were with us to share the experiences.

What They Say . . .

Time to Incorporate?

The word "city" usually connotes crowds, streetcars, skycrapers, sirens, and all the other forms of chaos evolved in congested areas of today.

But this is not always a true picture. What about the "small city," the suburban or rural community which has incorporated for desired improvements in taxing, civil agencies and zoning?

Eleven Contra Costa communities, including Walnut Creek, have been incorporated. With many others proposed as cities, the argument of whether incorporation means the demise of the suburban atmosphere still rages.

Your Roving Reporter was interested this week in which side of the debate local residents stood. Here's what he found out:

MRS. E. S. TAYLOR, 14 El Patio, Orinda: "The community is fine just as it is. My husband and I feel that if people take enough interest, we can keep this a suburban community —without incorporating."

MRS. NESTOR KUUSISTO, Orchard Road, Lafayette: "I think incorporation would mean a lot of restrictions. It doesn't seem to have helped other communities stay suburban."

MRS. EARL A. LAWVER, 25 Dos Encinas, Orinda: "I definitely feel we should incorporate in order to back the zoning laws which preserve the suburban atmosphere. These laws at present are so often ignored."

MRS. JAMES C. LANE, 3196 Camino Colorados, Lafayette: "Yes, I think incorporation would help. Zoning matters would be taken care to keep the community suburban, and we'd have all the other advantages of incorporation."

MRS. ADAM G. OLSEN, 23 Bella Vista Way, Walnut Creek: "I think Walnut Creek has proved that incorporation does not hurt an area. We are very happy with the things the city is doing."

MRS. L. T. FAIRCHILD, 11 Banos Road, Walnut Creek: "Yes, I think that it will. It is very dififcult to say just how this will be but, I think that a town can take a more personal attitude toward self government."

THOMAS HARTSEN, 657 Vista Way, Pleasant Hill: "It seems to me that we should remain an unincorporated area. If I wanted to live in the city I'd move there."

M. L. FORBES JR., 345 Dorine Drive, Pleasant Hill: "I'm all for incorporation. It'll not only keep us suburban but, give us back some of the rights which we should have. We should be able to decide for ourselves whether or not business moves in."

Group to Begin Political Discussion Series Tuesday

An adult discussion group in world politics will be organized in Lafayette, beginning Tuesday by University of California Extension and the American Foundation for Political Education, in cooperation with Contra Costa Junior College.

The group meets in Room 7 at Acalanes High School.

The Lafayette group is part of a nation-wide program to help citizens become better informed on world affairs, and national policies through informal meetings on a neighborhood basis.

No outside speakers are used, and each member is encouraged to express an opinion.

Members will meet once a week for ten weeks to discuss such topics as the causes of war; the state and the individual; democracy; communism; balance of power and power politics; domination; international organization and world government.

The first meeting will be devoted to a discussion of the "Atlantic Charter" of Franklin Roosevelt and Winston Churchill, and the "Joint Declaration" by Churchill and Eisenhower.

Meetings will be presided over by discussion leader James E. Lindsay of 14 Oak Drive, Orinda.

Each member will receive a three-volume set of books containing the works of the great political thinkers of all ages, representing all points of view.

Some of the men represented are Einstein, Lincoln, Plato, Tolstoy, Mussolini, Thoreau, Marx, Lenin, Stalin, Hitler, Rousseau and Woodrow Wilson.

The fee for an individual registration is $12, which includes three volumes of books. Married couples may enroll for $18 and share one set of reading material.

County Schools Rank Sixth in Total Enrollment

Contra Costa County ranks sixth in California in total public school enrollment and the sixth in the number of its students on double session.

County Superintendent B. O. Wilson said today that a table prepared by the State Department of Education shows Contra Costa to have experienced a 5.8 per cent growth in enrollment between October 1955 and October last year, having increased by 5044 to a total of 92,584.

In the same interval the statewide increase was 7.8 per cent.

Double session students in grades 1 through 6 total 8659 in Contra Costa County.

Contra Costa's elementary enrollment is 70,965 — sixth largest in the state; its enrollment in grades 9-12 — 19,153, seventh largest in California.

Contra Costa Junior College enrolled 1821 full-time and 645 part-time students.

The county is now preceded in total enrollment by Los Angeles, Alameda, San Diego, Santa Clara and Orange Counties, in that order, all of which exceeded Contra Costa in rate of growth except Alameda County with 5.5 per cent.

Mosaics to be Shown at Valley Art Center Tea

Members of the just concluded mosaics class will entertain at tea next Thursday from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Valley Art Center, 3420 Mt. Diablo Boulevard in Lafayette. All interested in the art form are invited to attend.

Garden ornaments, outdoor and indoor tables and wall plaques are among the colorful articles to be shown at the tea.

The mosaics class, under the leadership of Mrs. Bella Feldman of Berkeley, nationally recognized artist in the medium and a pioneer in the use of glass in the ancient art of mosaics, was sponsored by the Art Center.

Current interest has occasioned the sponsorship of two new classes by the Valley Art Center; one a daytime class to meet Tuesdays weekly, from 10 a.m. until noon, starting March 19, at the home of Mrs. Peter Howard, 2385 Walnut Boulevard, Walnut Creek.

An evening class will begin Thursday, March 22, at Vallecito School in Lafayette under the leadership of Mrs. Rawling Simon, who also will instruct a class in silk screening beginning March 20 at her home, 4141 Los Arabis, Lafayette.

Registrations for all classes may be made through the Valley Art Center.

Pied Piper Is Pleasure For Children

"The Pied Piper of Hamlin" held hundreds of Contra Costa County children in a spell when he played in Lafayette last Saturday.

Both morning and afternoon performances, held under the auspices of the East Bay Children's Theatre, Inc., were attended by a capacity crowd which was delighted by an hour and a half of music and fairy tale.

This famous play was directed by Mrs. Florence Schwimley and featured John Starr as the piper.

Mrs. Schwimley incorporated lots of music and dancing into the play as well as several solo ballet sequences, all of which helped to make the entire production a joy for children to see.

Jan Mauser, Children's Theater's noted designer, created an unusually gay atmosphere of color and phantasy with his beautiful and cleverly designed costumes and sets.

"His artistry and talent have continued to make Children's Theatre productions a reputation for being outstanding and professional," said Mrs. Robert Van Gelder, local publicity chairman.

Local matrons who worked as box office managers, ushers and stage crew at last Saturday's performances are Mesdames Ed Mannon, H. C. Gathings and Jack Lackey Jr., of Orinda; Thomas R. Gaines, Charles Morrill, David Bullen, Robert Van Gelder of Lafayette and Will Hall of Walnut Creek.

The next play in the current season is "Papa Pampino." Two performances are scheduled for March 30 at the Stanley School in Lafayette.

Reservations may be made in advance for tickets and birthday parties by calling Mrs. Will Hall at ATlantic 3-2547.

Peace Officers Graduation Is Tomorrow

More than 50 congressmen, state legislators, sheriffs, police chiefs, educators and the Contra Costa Junior College Board of Governors have been invited to the graduation of the seventeenth class in Peace Officers Basic Training at St. Mary's College, tomorrow.

It will be held during a 1 p.m. luncheon.

The class of 65 men, all employed officers, is the largest to date. Twenty police departments, four sheriffs' offices and the State Alcoholic Beverages Control Board are represented.

Graduates will receive certificates for successful completion of five weeks of concentrated instruction in the fundamentals of police work including such matters as laws of arrest, search and seizure, rules of evidence, penal and vehicle codes, traffic accident and basic criminal investigation, use of firearms and offensive and defensive tactics.

Karl O. Drexel, director of East Contra Costa Junior College, one of a dozen state and county agencies cooperating in the training program, will present the certificates.

The principal adddress will be made by O. J. Wohlgemuth of Walnut Creek, governing board president for the junior college district who will be introduced by Drummond J. McCunn, district superintendent.

Included in the list of invited guests are State Senator George Miller Jr., of Martinez, Assemblyman Donald Doyle of Lafayette, Sheriff Harry Brown, Walnut Creek Police Chief Leigh Brilliant and County Superintendent of Schools B. O. Wilson.

Annual Drive for Crippled Will Run March 15 to April 2

The 1957 Easter Seal campaign will be held from March 15 to April 21, Mrs. William Butner, president of the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Contra Costa County, announced today.

The 24th annual campaign in behalf of crippled children is expected to be the most extensive in the history of the local society, Mrs. Butner said.

Easter Seals will reach more than 96,000 county homes, she added.

"The appeal will give Contra Costa County residents an opportunity to contribute funds for maintaining and expanding services badly needed to help crippled children and adults, right in our own community," she declared.

"Support of the entire community will be needed to attain the goals set by the society."

Plans include an expanded recreation program for crippled children which has been facilitated by the opening of another Easter Seal summer camp in Santa Clara.

A Sheltered Workshop for employment training of handicapped adults is also being formed and will open within the next month in West Contra Costa County.

Further plans include extending medical care services to 350 individuals this year, an increase of over 100 per cent of the number served in the past year.

Approximately 90 per cent of the funds raised during the annual Easter seal campaign finance services within the state where raised.

More than two-thirds of all funds raised in Contra Costa County will remain here. The campaign also helps support a national program of service, education and research.

Young GOP to Meet California Officers at Party

The Richard Crouse home, 702 Los Palos Drive, will be the scene of the Lafayette Young Republican's cocktail party Saturday from 6 to 8 p.m.

Members and guests are looking forward to meeting some of the newly elected California Young Republican officers. Some of those planning to attend the affair are:

President Thomas Brewer of Stockton and Mrs. Brewer; Secretary Miss Jane Irwin of Oakland; Regional Vice-President Hal Bates; and County Chairman Laurence Corbett of Walnut Creek and Mrs. Corbett.

Arrangements for the affair are being made by Mrs. Frank Lord and her committee. Those interested in attending are asked to call AT 3-3918.

PHI MU Sorority Contra Costa alumnae will hold their annual Founders Day tea Sunday at the home of Mrs. Donald P. Krotz, 44 Monte Vista Road, Orinda. Discussing plans for the event are, left to right, Mesdames Earl Lawver, David Gordon and Edward Patterson, all of Orinda, and Mrs. Robert Kuhn of Walnut Creek. Mrs. Patterson is president of the alumnae group.
—Sun photo by Mattson

"SUDDENLY ITS SPRING" but these ladies of the Immaculata Guild of St. Mary's Church, Walnut Creek, are prepared. Displaying the new spring fashions are, left to right, Mesdames Harvey Woodmansee, Marie Marshall, Dennis Reed and Frank Cromka. Proceeds went to the School Fund of the St. Mary's Parish.
—Sun photo by Don Bradley

Sun Society

Crestviews Announce Rosy Future

Rosy Future is the title of the fashion show luncheon jointly sponsored by the Cret View Womens Clubs, senior and junior memberships, to be held March 23 at the Castlewood Country Club in Pleasanton.

Luncheon will be served at 1, preceded by a cocktail hour. According to Ways and Means Chairman Mrs. Jack Pardee fashions will be from the Expectation Shop in Walnut Creek and the Bonnie Warren Shops of Pleasant Hill and Danville.

Mrs. Gus Nieman will act as commentator while John Wheatman of Jacksons furnishes attractive room settings to suit the outfits.

Tickets will be $3 a person and may be obtained from any club member or by calling ticket chairman Mrs. Jack Corder, MU 5-5460, or Mrs. Raymond Trybul, YE 4-8261. Mrs. Francis Adair and Mrs. George Nelson are in charge of the reservations.

Family Hosting Son After Reunion Here

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bull, 1038 Thompson Road, are playing host to their son, Rev. Howard Bull of Marne, Mich., and his family following a recent family reunion here.

The reunion took place at the Janet Lane home of the reverend's brother, Harry M. Bull. Among the family members present were Mr. and Mrs. Morrel Moe of Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Hayman of Lafayette, Mr. and Mrs. William Bull of Napa, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Bull and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bull, both of Oakland.

Flamingos Visit Therapy Center

The Flamingo Unit of the Mt. Diablo Therapy Center went on a tour of the center's new building on Country Club Road in Pleasant Hill after the February meeting, at the home of Mrs. Richard Dole in Walnut Creek.

At the center, the newer members were introduced to Mrs. Juanita Benoy, director. All were shown the occupational and physical therapy departments, the Sheltered Workshop, and the duties of a idea and correct procedures for driving patients to and from their appointments, explained.

At the meeting, President Mrs. Edward Lazzareschi announced that Mrs. James C. Howe Jr. will be general chairman of the forthcoming spring floral arrangement and fashion tea, which is the spring project. Discussion of the Christmas Gift Box was held and ideas on merchandise to be made by members were given.

Flamingo Unit acted as hostesses for the Founders Day open house at the center on February 6.

Among those who served were Mrs. Lawrence Littell, Mrs. Fred Blumberg, Mrs. Ronald Lighfoot, Mrs. Flater Kelly, Mrs. James Howe, Mrs. Richard Schimmel, Mrs. Donald Johnson, Mrs. Charles Bowers, Mrs. Norman Johnson and Mrs. Edward Lazzareschi.

Co-hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Flater Kelly and Mrs. Eugene Ingalls.

Pi Beta Phi Plans Fashion Show, Lunch

A Pi Beta Phi fashion show and luncheon will be held April 9 at 1 p.m. at the chapter house, under the sponsorship of the chapter's Mothers Club.

Mrs. William Chew and Mrs. Jack Fraser of Orinda are on the committee of arrangements.

Janet French Engaged to Grad Student

Mr. and Mrs. Kendric Richard French have announced the engagement of their daughter, Janet Louise to Ian Douglas Stuart Ward.

The news was revealed at an "open house" at the family home, "Casa Cristina" in Walnut Creek, on February 17.

The Valentine motif was noted throughout the house. A large heart shaped Valentine inscribed "Janet and Ian" was framed above the fireplace.

Janet, a student at the University of California, graduated from Las Lomas with the class of June '56.

Her fiance is a graduate student at the University of California.

He graduated from the University of Melbourne, Australia. He was awarded a Fulbright Scholarship and is studying for a Doctorate in Economics.

Plans call for a June wedding.

PH Women Set Luncheon Date

The Pleasant Hill Women's Club announces that its "Luncheon Is Served" will be held March 8 at the Walnut Creek Women's Club House on Lincoln Avenue, and will have a St. Patrick's Day theme.

Tickets for $1.50 are available from members or from ticket chairman Mrs. William Totherow, YE 4-4381.

A musical program will be featured during the afternoon and a grab bag with gaily wrapped packages will be set up. In charge of the grab bag will be Mrs. L. R. Wise.

Home Wedding March 16 Awaits Lynn Sellman

The home of Mrs. Stuart Davis, 11 El Sueno, Orinda, will be the setting March 16 for the wedding of her daughter, Lynn Sellman, to U. S. Navy Ensign Scott Ferguson.

The nuptials will culminate a romance begun at Stanford University, where Lynn will be graduated the day before the wedding. Scott was graduated in June, 1956, before entering the Navy.

Chaplin Minto of Stanford will preside at the rites.

The groom-to-be, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ferguson of Berkeley, is a graduate of Berkeley High School. His fiancee was graduated from Acalanes.

A reception in Mrs. Davis' home will follow the wedding, after which the newlyweds will travel to Athens, Georgia, where Scott is attending the Navy Supply School at the University of Georgia.

Luncheon Set For March 13

The Spring Luncheon of Shamrock chapter of Booth Memorial Home at the Orinda Country Club will be held at noon March 13.

Proceeds from the party are Shamrock's contribution to the Hospital Fund, and will be used for assistance and care for unwed mothers.

Mrs. Alexander Ruxton of Piedmont is general chairman, assisted by Mrs. Floyd E. Drake of Alameda, who will handle prizes and favors.

Mrs. Paul B. Richard of Piedmont is in charge of tickets and reservations .Her phone number is OL 4-1021.

All friends of Booth are welcome.

Groups may make up tables for bridge following the luncheon.

Maytens Get Charter in Berkeley Rite

Orinda's Mayten Branch, Children's Hospital of the East Bay, was presented its charter at the recent annual luncheon meeting in the Claremont Hotel, Berkeley.

That B. McCarty, president of the Hospital's Board of Directors, made the presentation to Mrs. Thomas F. Kling, branch chairman, at the morning meeting in the Salem Room.

"This is the first time in my recollection," announced Mrs. William Harold Oliver, chairman of the branches, "that any branch has ever completed all the requirements and received its charter in such a short time."

Members of Mayten are planning to mount the charter in their scrap book with a picture and the signature of each of its 14 charter members.

Tau Omicron Rush Party Is Tonight

"Tramp Party" will be the theme for tonight's rushing event of the Tau Omicron Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, the chapter recently organized in Lafayette.

The party will take place at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Chris Kallimani, 3390 East Terrace, Lafayette. All members-at-large in the area are invited and may contact Mrs. Orton Bergren, AT 3-3707.

The last business meeting of Tau Omicron was held February 19 at the home of Mrs. P. M. Forster Jr., 3365 Sweet Drive, Lafayette.

Final plans for the rushing were made, including the Open Meeting for prospective pledges on March 5 and the Formal Tea on March 17.

The cultural program was presented by Mrs. Robert Sayles and Mrs. Chris Kallimani on "You and Your Audience" and, "Let's Talk On Radio and Over TV."

Co-hostess for the evening was Frances Bergran. Other members attending were Mrs. Richard Gommel, Mrs. Martin Rockey, Mrs. Raymond Ferrari, Mrs. Joseph Carter, Mrs. Thomas Beaudet, Mrs. Robert Callan and Mrs. John Page.

On March 23 Tau Omicron will hold a cake sale at Lafiesta Store for the benefit of the Community Center.

Psychology is Topic of Class

A course titled "Child and Adolescent Psychology" may be offered at the Montecito School in Lafayette.

If sufficient interest is shown in this class, Dr. Harold Geist, clinical psychologist, will instruct. It is recommended by the Adult Center to all parents of elementary and secondary school children. Persons interested are requested to phone the Adult Center and have their names placed on the waiting list.

When sufficient interest has been shown the starting date will be announced to all who have signed up. The Adult Center's phone number is AT 3-6262.

Orinda Moms Get Set for 'Aladdin Ball'

Tickets are going fast, according to Ticket Chairman Mrs. R. L. Kocher, for the Orinda Mothers Club "Aladdin Ball," to be held March 9 from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. at the Diablo Country Club.

Some are still available she said, and may be obtained by calling her at CL 4-3235, Mrs. Abe Doty, CL 4-3381, Mrs. Charles Erickson, DR 6-5517, Mrs. Harold Caldwell, CL 4-2677 or by contacting any room mother.

Informal wear will be the mode of dress for this "Arabian Nights" evening. Dancing will be to the music of Dick Dildine and his orchestra.

Proceeds from this annual benefit will buy books for all the Orinda school libraries.

Shrine Has New Officers

Earnest F. Dreyer of Danville was installed as president of the Contra Costa Shrine Club by Harold Towne, potentate of Aahmes Temple, at a dinner dance in Walnut Creek, February 16.

President Dreyer has the following officers: Frank Y. Kupper of Walnut Creek, first vice president; Harry de Haas of Martinez, second vice president; and Jack M. Brown of Concord, secretary-treasurer.

Daughters to Hold Bake Sale In Lafayette

In order to help finance an all-day snow trip to Pinecrest, members of Las Amiguitas Junior Unit No. 33, Native Daughters of the Golden West, Walnut Creek, will sponsor a bake sale tomorrow at the Safeway Store in Lafayette.

Homemade cakes, pies, cup cakes and cookies will be on sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the lobby of the store.

Junior members in charge of the event are Joyce Gelhaus, Liane Berlin, Nona Andresen, Barbara Corrigan, Susan Baer, Andrea Oliviera, Carol Ferry, Georgia and Carlene Stubblefield, Lynne Anderson, Sue Auld and Joan Hail.

The snow trip to Pinecrest is planned for March . A chartered bus will leave Lafayette at 5 a.m., making stops at Walnut Creek and Danville to pick up members from those areas.

After the day's snow frolic, the girls will have dinner in Tracy before returning home later in the evening.

Japanese Prints To be Exhibited At Art Center

An outstanding collection of Japanese ukiyoe prints, the classical wood-block print of Japan, will be on exhibition at the Valley Art Center, 3420 Mt. Diablo Boulevard, Lafayette, during March.

The show will be previewed by members of the center and their guests tonight from 7 until 10 p.m.

The prints to be on exhibit are from the collection of Mr. R. E. Lewis, San Francisco art dealer. All the prints are originals.

Works have been selected to represent each step in the development of the ukiyoe print from the simple black and white wood cuts, which date from the early 18th century, to the full color Japanese print as it is known today.

Some prints from this collection were taken to London for an exhibition in September, 1956. Others have hung in the DeYoung Museum, the San Francisco Museum of Art, and in major galleries throughout the United States and Europe.

The show will be hung by Lyle Lund, exhibition chairman of the Valley Art Center.

The exhibition will be open to the public on Tuesdays.

Garden Club to Hear Speaker On Wednesday

The Diablo Women's Garden Club will hold a monthly meeting at the El Nido on Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

Laura Safford will speak on "Year Round Color in the Garden."

She is a resident of Pleasant Hill, and specializes in chrysanthemums.

Members have been asked to bring plants for an exchange sale.

New members welcomed into the club at the last meeting were Mesdames Kenneth Richardson, Hans Christian Anderson, Rufus Buford and C. T. Edmunds.

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"ALADDIN BALL" at Diablo Country Club Saturday, March 9, will be the big annual fund-raising event of the Orinda Mothers Club. Going through a bit of preparatory hocus-pocus are, left to right, Mrs. Harold Caldwell, general chairman of the event; Mrs. Richard Copenhagen, head of the refreshment committee, and Mrs. William Scatena, one of the co-chairmen in charge of decorations.
—Sun photo by Mattson

Sun Society

Easter Fair Will Lure Many in Area

More than 60 husbands and wives from Lafayette and Walnut Creek will join for dinner next Thursday on the way to the Mardi Gras opening night at the annual Easter Fair at the Claremont Hotel, sponsored by the Children's Hospital of the East Bay.

Other members and friends of Walnut Branch, in smaller groups, will also partake of the fun and frolic, the gay costumes, and games and prizes at the Thursday party.

The branch's game booth at the Claremont is in charge of Mrs. Robert R. Haumeder of Pleasant Hill.

THROUGHOUT the four day event, guests will be able to view the splendid and varied table settings exhibit on the mezzanine.

Walnut Branch entry will be prepared by Mrs. Ralph Hanan.

Friday's fashion show and luncheon for the ladies will be followed by a sub-deb fashion show March 9 and, of course, the annual children's varieties special show featuring a performing Mama and Baby Bear, and a clown.

AMONG THE MODELS at the Friday special designer's fashion show will be Mesdames James McGeehon, A. T. MacKay, Jack Tureman, Mel Nielsen and E. W. Kirk, all of Walnut Branch.

Guest list for the fashion show includes Mrs. L. R. Comer of Walnut Creek with her guests, Mesdames Frank Teberbaugh, Richard Stocking and Eleanor Luty.

From Danville will be Mesdames William F. Anderson, W. E. Boyd, J. A. Madison, Jess Kaufman and G. R. Peterson.

IN A GROUP with Mrs. John Enright will be Mrs. A. D. Lindsay and Mrs. Harmon Howard of Walnut Creek and Mrs. A. C. Helmholz of Lafayette.

Mesdames Thomas F. Boler, Neil Moran, Phil Schiedermayer and Thomas Moran of Lafayette will be at a table with Mrs. George W. Smith of Orinda and Mrs. N. Carey of Danville.

At other tables will be Mesdames Eugene Weisend, Norman Buckhart and Ernest E. Rowland, all of Walnut Creek, and Mrs. John Bunce of Orinda and Mrs. D. Charles Williams of Lafayette.

Phi Mu Alums Will Herald Group Birthday

Contra Costa Alumnae chapter of Phi Mu will herald the sorority's 105th anniversary Sunday at the home of Mrs. Donald P. Krotz, 44 Monte Vista Road, Orinda, at 2 p.m.

Collegiate and alumnae members will observe the anniversary throughout the United States with contribution of pennies, one for each year of the sorority's existence.

These funds are used to provide loans and scholarships to undergraduate and graduate Phi Mus.

Further aid in the realm of education is given by the national sorority in its annual $1000 international scholarship grant under the auspices of AAUW.

Phi Mu, the nation's second oldest Panhellenic sorority, was founded at Wesleyan College, Macon, Ga.

Claire Gerow Looks to August Garden Wedding

A private garden wedding is being planned for next August by Miss Claire Gerow of Lafayette and William Ostermiller Jr. of Reno, Nevada, at the home of Claire's parents.

The couple's engagement was celebrated recently at a party in Los Angeles.

CLAIRE GEROW, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Elwyn C. Gerow of Lafayette, is engaged to William Ostermiller Jr. of Reno, son of Dr. and Mrs. William Ostermiller Sr.

Claire, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Elwyn C. Gerow, 1080 Happy Valley Road, met her future husband about five years ago at the Lodi Acadamey.

A graduate of the acadamey, she is presently a receptionist in her father's Lafayette office. She intends to continue her education at the University of Redlands.

The future groom, the son of Dr. and Mrs. William Ostermiller St., is a pre-medical student at La Sierra College, from where he graduates in June. He will attend medical school at the College of Medical Evangelists at Loma Linda in Southern California.

Local Women to Model at Panhellenic Fashion Show

Four women from this area have been chosen as models for the Spring Fashion Show and Luncheon to be presented by the Panhellinic Alumnae Association of the San Francisco Bay District.

With the unique theme, "Stylarama," inspired by Cinerama's "The Seven Wonders of the World," the event is scheduled for March 13 in the Venetian and Gold rooms of the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco.

A 12:30 luncheon will precede the fashion show, in which 46 collegiates and alumnae will model smart spring fashions from Saks Fifth Avenue.

Those from this side of the tunnel who will participate in the fashion parade include Mrs. Edmund Chambers of Walnut Creek, representing the alumnae of Theta Upsilon; Mrs. B. S. Ginsburg of Orinda, Kappa Kappa Gamma; Mrs. Donald J. Copeland of Walnut Creek, Chi Omega; and Mrs. W. C. Seifert of Orinda, Alpha Omicron Pi.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the association's scholarship and loan fund. Each year a $500 scholarship is given by Panhellinic Association to a worthy student selected by the dean of University of California woman women.

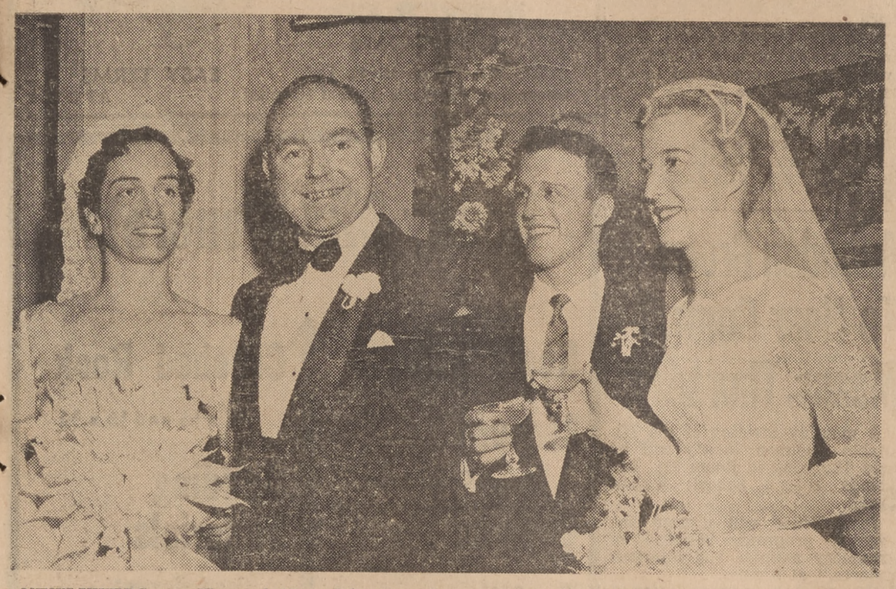
Lynn Sellman Honored; Will Marry Soon

Mrs. William A. Davis recently held a birthday luncheon and bridal shower at her home in Orinda, for her granddaughter Lynn Sellman.

Lynn has set March 16 as the date of her marriage to Ens. Kenenth Scott Ferguson, USN.

Decorations for the luncheon consisted of a miniature garden wedding and bridal party, a replica of the plans for Lynn's wedding which will be in the garden at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Davis of Orinda.

Lynn will graduate from Stanford University March 15. Scott was graduated last June.



NEWLYWEDS are Mr. and Mrs. John Temple Skinner, who were married February 15 at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Orinda. The bride is the former Nancy Macomber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Macomber of 555 Miner Road, Orinda. The groom is from San Francisco.
—Ted Gurney photo

MARRIED IN ORINDA recently were Charles Garet de Bruyn Kops and the former Dianne Foster, daughter of the Walter F. Fosters of Walnut Creek. The couple is on their way to Europe to spend their honeymoon.
—Ted Gurney photo

Orindan Flies From Italy To Claim New Bride

Charles Garet deBruyn Kops of Orinda flew all the way from Italy to claim his bride, the former Dianne Foster of Walnut Creek. They were maried February 17 in St. Stephens Episcopal Church, Orinda.

After a 10-day honeymoon in New York, they boarded a plane to return to Vicenza, Italy. Charles is stationed with the U. S. Army in Italy and will not be discharged until early next year.

He took advantage of a 30-day leave to marry Dianne, who had graduated with him in the Class of '53, Acalanes High School.

THE REV. Albert Lucas officiated at the ceremony.

Best man was Charles' brother, Paul Jr., and ushers were Tom Johnson, Robert Harrison Jr., Pete Sheaff and Scott Laidlaw.

Mrs. Laverne Foster, Dianne's sister-in-law, was her matron of honor. Carolyn Goforth and Mrs. Albert Good were attendants.

Dianne wore a full length imported chantilly lace over taffeta with chapel train of lace over nylon tulle, and a fingertip veil.

Flower arrangements for the bridesmaids were in heart-shaped bouquets, and Dianne's bouquet was heart-shaped with bouvardia and a white cataleya orchid.

A RECEPTION was held in the Alamo Women's Club.

On their return from overseas, the two will reacquaint themselves with student life.

Charles has completed two and a half years of engineering at the University of California, Berkeley, and will return there.

HE IS a member of Phi Kappa Psi social fraternity.

After graduation from Acalanes, Dianne was employed in Oakland, and in Walnut Creek as a bookkeeper. At Acalanes, she was active in the modern dance group.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Foster of 1511 Hillgrade Avenue, Walnut Creek.

Charles is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul deBruyn Kops of Orinda.

Arthur Flint Has Best Hat

Arthur Flint of Orinda sported the gentleman's prize winning hat in the annual Valentine Sweetheart party held recently by the Shell Ladies Auxiliary.

Mrs. John Dunlap of Martinez wore the ladies' best head-piece.

Clubbers to Meet

The Castle Hill Sewing Club will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John Cooley of 1969 Meadow Road, Walnut Creek. Mrs. Leo Fenton will be co-hostess.

Book Review Is Thursday

Guest reviewer at the Thursday meeting of the Book Club will be Mrs. O. E. Boslar, president of the Women's Club of Walnut Creek.

She will review "Song of America" written by George Mardikian, well known San Francisco restaurateur.

The Book Club meets at the Recreation Center each Thursday at 1 p.m. All area residents interested in books may attend.

Ruth Malone Will Marry N. C. Shannon

A member of the 1956 graduating class at Pleasant Hill High School, Miss Ruth Ellen Malone, daugther of Mr. and Mrs. Winn W. Malone of 174 High Street, Pacheco, will become the fall bride of Norvin C. Shannon, according to the announcement made this week by her parents.

The bride-elect was a member of the Art Club, Girls Service, and the A Cappella Choir at Pleasant Hill High School, and is currently attending the Salinas Beauty College.

Her fiance, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Shannon of Healdsburg, Calif., attended Healdsburg High School, and plans to study at San Jose State, upon his discharge from the United States Navy later this month. He saw service in Korea, Japan, and other overseas stations.

Other members of the bride-elect's family are Iola, a student at the California Baptist College in Riverside; a sister, Mrs. Elva Boyd of Martinez; Jo Elaine, a student at Pleasant Hill High School; and a brother, Leo Thomas, who attends the eighth grade at Glenbrook Intermediate.

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On all sides, a dramatic facade has a warm 'Cafe au lait' textured stone and tile.

The bold white of the name 'Kahn's' will stand out against the tiles over each entrance.

Combined floor space covers more than 110,000 square feet. Two floors will offer every type of merchandise and service formerly associated with the finest stores in large metropolitan centers, say managers.

Interior appointments of the new structure will be contemporary in feeling, and will feature throughout a warmth that is in accord with casual suburban shopping.

Shoppers will enjoy such innovations as scientifically planned lighting, wide shopping aisles, escalators, covered exterior walkways, wide daylight display windows and air conditioning.

Kahns' of Concord will offer complete apparel and accessory shops for men, women and children, and special shops for furniture and all home acecssories and furnishings.

HERE IS AN ARCHITECT'S sketch of the beautiful new Kahn's which is now under construction in the Concord Shopping Center. The huge store will bring hundreds of items of practical, reasonably priced merchandise to the area when it is completed this summer.

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Town Hall on Mental Health To be Held

The Central Contra Costa Mental Health Asssociation, the Contra Costa Community Welfare Council, and 32nd District PTA met on February 19 to plan a county "Town Hall" on Mental Health and its effects.

The Committee, headed by Dr. Joseph E. Lifschutz, met at the Hillcrest Congregational Church in Pleasant Hill to formulate plans for the conference It will be held May 1 at the Acalanes High School in Lafayette at 8 p.m.

Dr. Lifschutz stated that East Contra Costa Community Welfare Council has been invited to participate.

Dr. Walton E. Kirk has been made program chairman; Mrs. Lloyd Richars, ways and means, Fred Kracke, arangements.

C. C. Macnamara, A. Ray Petty, Dr. Harold W. Kaar, and Dr. Warren Ketterer will be consultants to Dr. Lifschutz.

STORK CLUB

EDWARDS — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Edwards of 525 LaVista Road, Walnut Creek, February 25 in Kaiser Hospital.

WALKER — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Walker of 2983 Vessing Road, Walnut Creek, February 25 in Kaiser Hospital.

PREVETZ — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Prevetz of 2842 Melillo Drive, Walnut Creek, February 24 in Kaiser Hospital.

DIERS — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Diers of 1825 Almond Avenue, Walnut Creek, February 23 in Kaiser Hospital.

SWANSON — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elton Swanson of 1577 First Avenue, Walnut Creek, February 23 in Kaiser Hospital.

DOMINGUEZ — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Abel Dominguez of 32 Via Domniguez, Walnut Creek, February 22 in Kaiser Hospital. Felicia weighed 4 pounds, 14 ounces. She has an older brother, Ralph, 25.

GARNER — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Garner of 1706 Almond Avenue, Walnut Creek, February 22 in Kaiser Hospital. Judith Ann, weighing 8 pounds, is the Garners' first child.

GORDON — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon of 229 Nob Hill Drive, Walnut Creek, February 22 in Kaiser Hospital. Timothy weighed 10 pounds, 15¼ ounces, and was welcomed home by Gaile, 7, and Scott, 5.

GRAVES — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves of 857 Hawthorne Drive, Walnut Creek, February 22 in Kaiser Hospital. Elizabeth Marie weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces, and was welcomed home by Victoria, 2½.

LEES — A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lees of 2549 Clark Lane, Walnut Creek, February 21 in Kaiser Hospital. Dawn Carol weighing 6 pounds, 5 ounces, is the Lees' first child.

CROFFORD — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crofford of 118 Mazy Drive, Pleasant Hill, February 19 in Kaiser Hospital. Christopher Brian weighed 7 pounds, 4½ ounces, and was welcomed home by Craig, 3, and Cheryl, 4½.

HEALEY — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Healey of 1613 N. Marta, Pleasant Hill, February 19 in Kaiser Hospital. Scott Allen weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces, and was welcomed home by Michael, 8.

TALBOT — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Talbot of 1573 Arbutus Drive, Walnut Creek, February 19 in Kaiser Hospital.

CHAMBERLAIN — A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Chamberlain of 2037 Elinora Drive, Pleasant Hill, February 13 in Concord Community Hospital. Ronald Louis weighed 9 pounds, 1 ounces, and was welcomed home by Gary, 9, and Rickey, 2½.

PREECE — Thomas Howard is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Preece, 268 Rheem Boulevard, Moraga. The baby weighed 6 pounds and 6 ounces at birth February 12 at Kaiser Hospital, Walnut Creek. His sisters, Mary, 4, and Holly Rae, 3, were on hand to welcome him.

BOONOS — Twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Boonos, 674 Jennie Court, Lafayette, February 16 at Kaiser Hospital. Christine and Kathleen are their names, and they came into the world at 5 pounds 1 ounce and 4 pounds 13 ounces respectively. Having a tough time telling the girls apart are brothers Bob, 12, and Rawl, 3. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Worthen of Lafayette are the grandparents.

CD Medical Officer Named

Paul A. Slattery, M.D., of 87 Orinda Highway, Orinda, was recently appointed alternate chief, medical and health services of the Contra Costa County Office of Civil Defense and Disaster.

The appointment was made by Dr. H. L. Blum, county health officer and chief of the Civil Defense Medical and Health Services.

Dr. Slattery's duties will include assisting Dr. Blum in times of disaster, and acting as chief in Dr. Blum's absence.

Dr. Slattery has lived in Orinda for nine years, having practiced medicine here for two years and in Oakland previously. He graduated from Stanford University and from the University of Rochester (N.Y.) Medical School, followed by post graduate work in surgery in Boston, Los Angeles, and San Francisco.

World Day of Prayer is Next Friday in WC

The World Day of Prayer for 1957 will be held next Friday at the Walnut Creek Methodist Church, 1543 Sunnyvale Avenue, Walnut Creek.

Sponsor will be the Council of Church Women.

Theme will be, "Who Shall Separate Us," from Romans 8:35.

Churches helping arrangements are as follows:

Walnut Creek Methodist, St. Pauls' Episcopal, Walnut Creek; St. Luke's Lutheran, Walnut Creek; Walnut Creek Presbyterian; Valley Baptist, Walnut Creek; Nazarene, Walnut Creek; Lafayette and Orinda Presbyterian; Lafayette Community Methodist; San Ramon Valley Congregational, Danville; Danville Community Presbyterian.

A nursery will be provided at the church.

Christian Science

The significance for people today of Jesus' healing works will be emphasized at Christian Science services this Sunday.

Christian Science churches in this area are located at 22 Orinda Highway, Orinda, and 1347 Locust Street, Walnut Creek. Christian Science Society of Pleasant Hill holds its services at the Hillcrest Congregational Church on Gregory Lane.

Scriptural passages in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Christ Jesus" will include the Master's reply to the disciples of John Baptist who questioned his mission (Luke 7:22):

"Then Jesus answering said unto them, Go your way, and tell John what things ye have seen and heard; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached."

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following passage will be among those read (131:26-30):

"The mission of Jesus confirmed prophecy, and explained the so-called miracles of olden time as natural demonstrations of the divine power, demonstrations which were not understood, Jesus' works established his claim to the Messiahship."

Big Briones Valley Parcel Sold by EBMUD as Park

East Bay Municipal Utility District has approved the sale to Contra Costa County of 1435 acres of land in Briones Valley for development as a county park and recreation area, according to John W. McFarland, EBMUD General Manager.

The wooded park site lies northwest of Lafayette in a line approximately half way between Lafayette and Martinez. The area forms part of the San Pablo Reservoir watershed.

TERMS OF the sale call for purchase of the property by Contra Costa County over a 10-year period for a total of $550,000. Under the contract approved by EBMUD Board of Directors, the acreage is divided into 10 equal parcels.

Upon the purchase of the first parcel, an option for the purchase of an additional parcel is automatically given. This option continues progressively as each succeeding parcel is purchased.

The County Board of Supervisors is expected to ratify the contract at an early date, according to County Administrator Desmond Teeter. The contract specifies that the Utility District will deed the first parcel to the county before April 1.

NEGOTIATIONS for the property began in January of 1956, following a recommendation to the supervisors by the Contra Costa Park Commission. The supervisors outlined their plan for a Briones Valley recreational park in a joint meeting with the EBMUD Board of Directors on January 13, 1956.

Following that meeting, negotiations were continued.

In the meantime, the Utility Distrixt fixed the limits to its future Briones Reservoir, to be built in Briones Valley, and field surveys and appraisals of the property were made.

The same general restrictions for sanitary and erosion control which apply to the Regional Park District land lying within the Utility District watersheds, have been written into the contract for the sale of the Briones Valley property.

ONE OF THE terms of the purchase contract provides that the county, after purchase of each parcel but prior to development for recreational purposes, may elect to have the Utility District manage the property.

This would include handling of cattle grazing leases, with revenues to be prorated between the county and the utility district.

Aubudon Group To Hear Control Means, Thursday

A monthly meeting of the Mt. Diablo Audubon Society will be held Thursday in Room 201, Las Lomas High School, Walnut Creek.

John Bruce will present the evening program, "Control of predatory animals and injurious rodents," at 8 p.m.

Bruce is a biology instructor at San Ramon High School. He received his B.S. and M.S. degrees in zoology from Utah State College.

He was formerly a mammal control agent in the U.S. Dept. of Fish and Wild Life in the Utah-Idaho area.

Also as part of the evening program Bruce and the Society's president, Ferd Ruth, natural science instructor at Junior College, will display and identify the various creatures in their fossil collections.

The public is cordially invited.

The society will make a field trip to Dillon Beach in Marin County March 10. The meeting place will be at the junction of Petaluma - Tomales Road and Route 1. Time will be 10 a.m.

"Birding" will be from 10:30 till noon — then lunch on the beach and exploring the tidepools at 1 p.m.

Allowed will be two hours driving time from the Walnut Creek area. Probably the best route is through Vallejo and west on Route 48 to the turn north of Petaluma.

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A 4 year old 3 bedroom basalite block home plus large rumpus room. Many quality features, 220 wiring, insulated, on ¼ acre landscaped lot, trees, hardwood floors, water softener. Offered at $14,950.

QUALITY 2 BEDROOM
Custom built ranch home on ½ acre, secluded, central floor plan, oak plank floors, separate dining room, large walnut trees. 2 blocks from bus transportation. Ideal for retired couple. Priced at $16,500.
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A HOME TO LOVE
Located across highway from new medical offices, north of town. Beautifully landscaped corner lot with fruit trees. Patio entirely screened. Walnut panelled fireplace. Oak parquet floors throughout. Three bedrooms, one bath. Double garage. Separate utility room. Just a few blocks from large shopping center. Owner moving to New York. $13,000.
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Ideal for workers in Richmond, Pittsburg, Antioch. Just two new homes left, north of Walnut Creek. Three bedrooms, hardwood floors, fireplace, natural wood trimmed cabinets, level city-sized lots. Full price only $12,600. Better look now.
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OUTSTANDING VALUES
A CUTE ONE
A little charmer at a little price on level lot. Rustic exterior and interior with pleasing kitchen and living room plus 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, at only $11,250.
Reasonable 3 Bedroom
Well located, quiet neighborhood readily accessible to easy traffic flow. Tastefully decorated, in fine condition. Outside delight with 16'x32' arbor over patio. Special features include beamed ceiling living room, hardwood flors, mercury switches, and clever dining room shutters, $13,750.
LOW DOWN
2 bedrooms, plus rumpus guest room, or in-law quarters. Large separate garage. Nice half acre site with trees, landscaping, patio and unexcelled view. $16,250, assume $13,150 G.I. loan at $88 per month total payment.
Wm. F. Anderson
REALTOR
2051 Mt. Diablo Blvd., W.C.
Day or night, YE 4-9321

Try $1000 Down
A darling contemporary with shake roof, lots of glass, attractive kitchen with door leading to enclosed patio. Very expandable. Good FHA loan, full price only $10,500. Evenings call Helen Garrison, MU 2-2123.
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YE 4-8882

SUN Valley lot, approx. ¼ acre. All utilities. Only $1850. ATlantic 3-3396.

8. PLEASANT HILL

OWNER transferred: 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, double garage, family room, 2 fireplaces. Assume GI loan, 4½%. MU 2-0506.

BY OWNER: 3 bedrooms, Gregory Gardens, low water rate, large covered patio, near schools, shopping. MU 2-2047.

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8. PLEASANT HILL

3 BEDROOM, hardwood floors, fireplace, rugs and drapes included. Close to shopping, schools, park. Assume 4½% GI loan. Full price $13,800. Low down payment.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath. Assume GI loan $73 per mo. Close to everything. Very clean. $1900 will handle. Full price $12,800.

3 BEDROOM, 2 bath. Only $1250 down and assume GI loan at $87 per month. This is a beauty and you cannot beat the terms. Full price $13,500.

LOVELY YGNACIO VALLEY estate. Older brick home on 2½ acres. Walnuts, majestic oaks, fruit trees, 300 ft. well. Wonderful location. By appointment. $32,-500.

RAY TAYLOR
Pleasant Hill Concord
MU 2-1458 MU2-2491
Eves. Mr. Goodding, YE 5-1945
Mr. Schorre. MU 5-6197

9. REALTY WANTED

SELL through Harvey & Reark
CASH for your equity in your home. Value not to exceed $14,-000. Principals only. If interested call today. YE 4-2370.

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10. Business Opportunity

GREATER returns on your idle money. Any amount, repayment and interest monthly. YE 5-4284.

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RESPONSIBLE PERSON
Male or female from this area, wanted to service and collect from automatic vending machines. No selling. Age not essential. Car, references, and $600 working capital necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets to $250 monthly. Possibility full time work. For local interview give full particulars, phone. Write P.O. Box 7004, Minneapolis 11, Minn.

FOSTER'S FREEZE, business, equipment, and franchise. $5000 cash might take before March 15th. Owner leaving state. YE 4-6500.

19. BUSINESS RENTALS

1800 SQ. FT. warehouse. Center of Lafayette. Mahogany paneled office. Well lighted. Heat in office. Wash basin and toilet. Reasonable rent. Call Mrs. William Gordon, CL 4-5852.

OFFICE or office space one half block from Gregory Village, Pleasant Hill. Rent reasonable. Facilities good. MUlerry 5-1000.

WALNUT Creek, street level office, 1800 sq. ft., suitable Attorneys, Realtors, Loan office, Builders, Insurance Agents.
Lafayette Realty Co., Realtors
3659 Mt. Diablo Blvd.
Lafayette ATlantic 3-6201

FOR LEASE
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NEW MODERN air conditioned office bldg. Will lease part or whole. Desk space, etc. Private offices, parking. Ideal for brokers, accountants, etc. YE 5-4400.

20. RENTALS

3 ROOM apartments, unfurnished. Electric stove and refrigerator. Infants accepted. $75 and $80 959 Hough Avenue, Lafayette.

3 ROOM unfurnished apartment, between Lafayette and Orinda. Garage furnished. Available March 1st. CL 4-5689.

Cambridge Apartments, modern, one and two bedrooms, unfurnished, tile bath, kitchen, master TV aerial. No dogs. Manager at 2445 B Park Avenue, Concord, MU 2-0345.

20. RENTALS

DUPLEX, unfurnished, large rooms, 2 bedrooms, fireplace, laundry room, garage with storage, yard, barbecue. 2 blocks to center of town. $100. YE 4-4375.

FURNISHED room with kitchen, private shower. Prefer working lady. AT 4-4147.

DANVILLE — 3 room furnished apt.; 4 room partially furnished apt. Red Horse Apartments. VE 7-6677.

NEW beautiful duplex, hardwood floors, tile bath, 1 & 2 bedrooms, adults only, W.C. city limits. YE 4-5940.

1 BEDROOM furnished apartment, glassed porch, kitchenette, living room, view, $65. Adults. YE 4-6277 after 5.

3 ROOM unfurnished apartment, stove, refrigerator. Walking distance to transportation. 3443 Golden Gate Way, Laf. Inquire Apt. B, Sat. & Sun.

NEW unfurnished bachelor apartment, Lafayette. Call OL 5-0400.

VACATION PLACE — LAKE TAHOE: Snow enthusiasts, 4 bedrooms, 1½ baths Swiss Chalet. 5 minutes to Heavenly Valley ski run. $75 a weekend. AT 3-8168.

ONE BEDROOM apartment, block Broadway Shopping Center, stove, refrigerator, water included. Adults, no pets. $70 lease $72.50 monthly. Call Saturday-Sunday-evenings. YE 4-5814.

TWO bedroom house, unfurnished, 1228 Pleasant Hill Rd., near Acalanes High School. $90. YE 4-4175.

CLEAN, sunny 2 room duplex apartment: Radiant heat, part utilities, no pets. 3616 Walnut St., Lafayette.

2 ROOM secluded garden apartment. Picture windows, fabulous view. Breakfast bar. Drapes, range, refrigerator. Working couple. $65. YE 4-5500.

1 BEDROOM duplex, newly decorated, stove, refrigerator. Walking distance Broadway, $85 YE 4-5025.

3 bedroom Gregory Gardens. $3 month water. Immediate occupancy. Lease, $100.

RAY TAYLOR (Opposite Gregory Village) MU 2-1458.

1 BEDROOM apartment. Working couple preferred. No pets. YE 5-5972.

1 BEDROOM apartment, stove, refrigerator, electricity. $70 per month. Adults. 3 doors West of Park Theatre. AT 3-2177.

2 BEDROOM unfurnished home, garage, patio. $100 mo. Adults. Available immediately. YE 4-7084.

PLEASANT furnished room, single; private home; near bus; employed woman. Garage optional. AT 4-4378.

CENTER Lafayette: Spacious, secluded modern garden unit, 2 bedrooms, garage, patio, ½ block Lafiesta shopping center, $125. AT 3-6761.

FOR Lease: 2 bedrooms, 1½ bath home, 30 ft. living room with view, separate dining. Drapes and carpet included. 2 car garage, near transportation, $150 month. AT 4-4618.

LAFAYETTE, 3 bedroom house, 1 block to shopping, transportation, $95. 3501 Golden Gate Way, BEacon 5-6509.

WALNUT CREEK home, No. 55 Carrerio Lane, 2 bedroom and den; range; refrigerator; washer and dryer; carport and storage, $115 mo. YE 5-4400, Hathaway.

4 ROOM cottage partially furnished. Bath, utilities. Adults. $70. 2651 Oak Grove Rd., Concord. YE 4-4450.

MODERN studio home. Exclusive location, beautiful view. Close in. Days, AT 3-2407; evenings, AT 4-4354.

SUNNY room in home of business woman. Private entrance, garage, kitchen privileges. CL 4-4067, evenings or Saturdays, Sunday.

DUPLEX, Lafayette. 1 bedroom, electric stove and refrigerator. 1 block from bus and shopping, $85 per month including water. 937 Moraga Rd. Phone AT 3-2886 eves. or weekends.

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A SOUTH OF TOWN SMALLER HOME — 2 large bedrooms, plank floors, tile bath and kitchen with dishmaster and disposal; large lot for play area. Priced at only $10,750, with a 4% loan to be assumed. $1500 down on convenient terms. Evenings call Mr. Dolph, VErnon 7-2841.
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THE MOST! See for yourself this 4 year old 3 bedroom, 2 bath home, close in, Walnut Creek; high and dry with a choice view; beautiful landscaping, covered patio, level lot. All for $19,750 and you can assume a large FHA loan. Evenings call Mr. Fuller, YE 4-5944.
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20. RENTALS

LAFAYETTE. Close in, spacious 3 bedroom home. Lease, $165. **SCOFIELD, REALTOR,** AT 3-6239.

BEAUTIFUL new tri-plex, 2 bedroom, hardwood floors, Sunset Village, Lafayette. CL 4-3013.

DARLING studio cottage on Orinda estate. Privacy. Ideal for couple. CL 4-5584.

ATTRACTIVE 1 bedroom house, deck, fireplace, stove, refrigerator, washer, carport. Close to shopping center. Adults $95. AT 4-4555.

LAFAYETTE'S FINEST two bedroom apartment. Large rooms, stove, refrigerator, view, garage. Fine location. Adults $110. AT 3-8283, AT 3-8002.

IN CONCORD unfurnished 1 and 2 bedroom apartments, electric range and refrigerators, venetian blinds, private garages. Convenient to shopping. No pets. $71.50 and $76.50. 2810 Broadmoor Ave.

25. RENTALS WANTED

EXECUTIVE and family desire 3-4 bedroom home Lafayette-Walnut Creek area. YE 4-3513.

CHRISTIAN lady wishes to rent apartment with another lady and share expenses. YE 5-0385.

TEACHER, male, single, desires room. P.O. Box 806WT Lafayette.

27. WORK WANTED

EXPERIENCED gardener wants part time gardening work, $2 hr references. OLympic 8-4048.

PRUNING, general garden maintenance. Call after 5. YE 4-5012

EXPERT alterations. Work guaranteed. YE 4-7253. Sun Valley area.

IRONING, my home, excellent quality work. Satisfaction assured. Reasonable. MU 5-0755.

EXPERIENCED Japanese gardener wants garden maintenance work by the month. AT 3-3830.

BOOKKEEPER typist, many years experience in accounts payable and receivable. YE 4-2274.

DAY work wanted, well experienced. Have own transportation. Twinoaks 3-6143.

HOME repairs carpentry, cabinets, painting, remodeling, fencing, odd jobs. Call Stuart Brooks, CL 4-3747.

DAY work: General cleaning, windows, woodwork; ironing. References. $1 hour, bus fare. TWinoaks 3-1401 evenings.

IRONING, my home, $1 hr. YF 5-3173.

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Home and parties
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YE 5-4545

DAY work, neat and experienced. Good local references, own transportation. OLympic 4-4783 after 5.

LIGHT housework, experienced with children. Sewing, cooking. Tuesday and Thursday. AT 4-4259, after 5.

RELIABLE colored woman desires day work, own transportation. KEllogg 4-1091.

CABINET WORK, upholstering, furniture repaired and refinished. Home remodeling. Call "Bowes" YE 4-7970.

DAY work wanted. Own transportation. Experienced. OLympic 5-4901.

LADY desires interesting clerical part-time work. AT 3-2866.

HIGH school student would like after school - weekend work. Experienced. Art. AT 4-4563 after 3:30 or weekends.

28. HELP WANTED

ELECTRICAL ENGINEER
Unusual opportunity for registered engineer to join growing, vigorous, firm of engineers and architects as department head. Salary open. Reply P.O. Box 1038 DA., Walnut Creek.

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Large Eastern company, rated triple A, needs men for following territories, Concord, Walnut Creek, Lafayette, Pittsburg and Martinez. If you are experienced in direct sales, phone **MR. SCOVILLE,** MU 5-9360 for appointment.

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HOUSEWIVES in Orinda: For new interests and extra money, sell TV advertised cosmetics. Call GLencourt 1-5768 for home interview.

CAREER opportunities this area selling State Farm Insurance. Excellent training, income unlimited. YE 5-2430.

CENTRAL Contra Costa Sanitary District will hold a Civil Service Examination for the position of Draftsman on March 30, 1957. Duties: routine drafting, tracing, etc. Requirements: high school graduation and 1 year experience or equivalent. Salary $375 per month. Applications now available at District office, 1250 Springbrook Road, Walnut Creek, and must be filed not later than March 22, 1957. Satisfactory physical exam is required prior to appointment.

Experienced Real Estate Salesman — Live Orinda office. Plenty of floor play and house support. Call either Mr. Harvey or Mr. Reark, CL 4-4947.

BEAUTY OPERATOR: Full or part time. Salary, commission. Experienced. Suburban Beauty Salon. YE 4-4274.

WANTED couple unencumbered for ranch near Walnut Creek. Man must have experience with horses and general maintenance. Wife to do housework for family of two adults, April 1st. Salary $350 to start plus new modern house. References. Write Box 1038 RD, Walnut Creek.

MEN! After work earn extra money at home making phone calls. 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Guarantee. YE 4-0685 Thurs. or Fri. eves., 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. only.

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WOMAN wanted for child care and light housework, 2 school girls 6 and 8. Sun Valley area. Call my office before 5, YE 4-3104.

SALES girl wanted. Walnut Creek Pharmacy, 1403 Main, Walnut Creek.

REAL ESTATE SALESMEN! — make more money than any other type salesmen! Active Lafayette office with more business than we can handle. Has room for a good man. Will consider teaching business to right man. Call:
TOM DUFFY REALTOR
AT 3-8283 AT 3-8002

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SMALL Orinda apartment to single woman in exchange for occassional baby-sitting. Wages paid for household help. CL 4-5217.

29. LOST and FOUND

FOUND: White male collie, likes children. AT 3-8384.

LOST, shepherd collie, Pleasant Hill. Rust color, four years; invalid misses him. MU 5-0826.

REWARD $50— information leading to recovery of 6 sets wheels and axles missing from Walnut Creek Kiddie Train. Call YEllowstone 4-5240.

MAN'S gold watch. Identify to claim. AT 3-3354.

LOST: Lady's valuable platinum diamond ring. Vicinity of Inland Valley area. Reward. P.O. Box 806 RK, Lafayette.

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'56 Ford Fairlane
Club sedan, R&H, OD
$199 Down
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FORD, 1953, fordomatic 2 door Customline, R&H. Original owner, excellent condition. $875. YE 5-2566.

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1951 Chev. Deluxe
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1955 BUICK Century, 4-door Riviera. Power brakes and steering. Beautiful car, excellent condition. $2195. Phone CL 4-5460.

JAGUAR, 1956 convertible, XK140M, white, red leather, Borg-Warner transmission, low mileage. CL 4-2542.

MUST sell: 1955 four-door V-8 Chevie station wagon, red, white trim and upholstery. Power pack, power brakes, power steering, completely loaded. AT 4-4618.

'56 Chev. Del Rey
Club sedan
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1950 Ford V8
Custom 4-dr., R&H, OD, spotlight, SHARP.
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FORD, pickup, 1956, V-8, overdrive, radio and heater, forced to sacrifice, YE 4-7113.

¾ TON International, 4 speeds. Heater and rack. Excellent running condition. 1947. This is a very good buy at $165. AT 3-3151, 1114 Laurel Drive.

CHEVROLET, 1955 pickup, Cameo carrier, deluxe cab, r&h, automatic drive, equipped with trailer hitch and two extra gas tanks. By owner. MU 5-1862.

MERCURY, late '56 Monterey station wagon. By owner. Fully equipped, power steering, brakes, Mercomatic, low mileage. MU 5-1862.

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$ $ $ $ $
1956 Pontiac ½ Ton
Pickup. Only 6,000 actual miles. Perfect condition. A steal at
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1952 MERCURY station wagon, 8 passenger, r&h, overdrive, clean, one owner. $1100. VE 7-2334, eves. VE 7-2471.

SACRIFICE, 1951 Chrysler Windsor club coupe. R&H, good condition. $495, best offer. VE 7-4941.

PLYMOUTH, 1953 convertible, R&H, W/W tires, spotlight, new top. $725. MU 2-5582.

$ $ $ $ $
1955 Chev. 2-Dr.
R&H. Perfect condition.
$1295
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1816 Main, W.C. YE 4-0244
$ $ $ $ $

MERCURY, '54 Monterey station wagon. Best condition, R & H, w/w, mercomatic, 8 passenger. Original owner. $1895 including '57 registration. J. P. Murphy, YE 4-3710.

'49 CHEV. sedan, r&h, good commute car, $200. MU 2-0133.

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STUDEBAKER, '42 Commander 4-dr., overdrive, radio, heater, good condition. $85. YE 4-4051.

1950 RAMBLER convertible, r&h, clean, top mechanical condition. $300. MU 5-7385.

'39 CHEV. coupe, reasonably good condition, rubber good, '57 license plates, $65. AT 3-2518.

CHEVROLET, 1951 4-door sedan, powerglide, excellent condition, original owner, $500. CL 4-2914.

MUST see to appreciate: 1952 Chevie Bel Air hardtop, powerglide, r&h, A-1 condition, 1 owner, low mileage. TWinoaks 3-3884.

CADILLAC, 1949, low mileage, good tires, excellent condition. Bargain, $595. CL 4-3068.

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AUTOMATIC Westinghouse washing machine, good condition, $35. AT 3-3502.

DRYER, G.E. electric, clothes dryer, excellent condition, $75. YE 5-5452.

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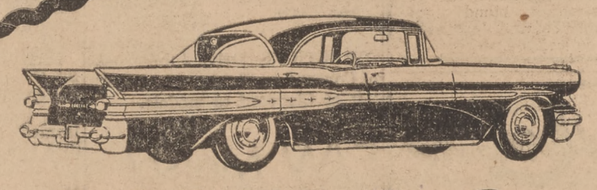

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Weekly Special!! Custom Built sofa. Pick your fabric and color. Reg. $329.95, special $199.88. **THE ECONOMY HOUSE,** 3673 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette, AT 3-6483.

FOR SALE, COMMERCIAL EQUIPMENT. 17' Hussman deep freeze, open top, self defrosting and unit in fine condition, $300; 1 16 ft. freight conveyor with endless non skid belt. Handles cases and packages two ways, electric self contained motor. 110 volt, $325. Phone owner, YE 4-7030.

CUSTOM made sofa with two matching chairs; plastic lounge chair and ottoman; blond night stand; G.E. TV set, 21" screen; G.E. 13 cu. ft. refrigerator; G.E. portable dishwasher. Excellent condition. CL 4-4841.

REGULAR $129.50 Chef wagon barbeque, electric spit, new, never used. CL 4-4841.

RED leather chair, $50; Schwinn bike, 24", $20; Hillman convertible, $300. CL 4-4501.

3 PRS. drapes; mahogany step, coffee tables; 3 refrigerators; electric stove; barbecue table, 4 benches; 2 chairs. YE 5-1470.

DINETTE, chrome, 7 pieces, green, deluxe model, good condition, $40. YE 4-0124.

UNIVERSAL electric range, 3 burner, deepwell, warming oven, fully automatic, $90, excellent condition; formica serving table, drop leaf, $20. MU 2-6135 after 6.

6 YR. hardwood crib, chifferobe, mattress. Excellent condition, $45. YE 4-6469.

LOOK! Traverse drapes, lined, must sacrifice — moving. Reasonable. VE 7-6353.

ENTIRE household of furniture, living, bedroom, kitchen, washer. Miscl. items. MU 5-8580.

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MODERN bedroom group, double bed, mattress and box springs, dressers, bench, mirror and night stand; set of coffee table and 2 step tables; upholstered chair. All good condition. AT 3-3660.

DUNCAN Phyfe, 28" tilt top table; spinet desk and chair; birds eye maple top dining table and four chairs; 18" wrought iron table. AT 3-3660.

SKIS, binding, poles, $9; accordion, Scandalli, 120 bass, case, excellent condition, $87. MU 2-6486.

DIVAN, good condition, best offer. AT 3-8138.

FOR sale, used furniture, Friday, Saturday only. 2210 Hillside Court, W.C.

34. MISC. FOR SALE

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Beautiful early American provincial lamps. Reg. $34.95. Priced at $18.95.
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Lafayette AT 3-6335
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BABY crib; Dormeyer electric Fri-well; Dormeyer electric mixmaster. DR 6-4704.

CUSTOM made furniture at 50% less cost. 4 piece sectional couch; blonde dining room table; six upholstered chairs; large round lounge sofa; six piece mahogany bedroom set. AT 3-3083.

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BOY'S bikes, 26 inch and 24 inch. Good condition. Make offer. AT 3-6623.

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5 pc. maple living room group: Divan, rocker, 2 step tables and one coffee table.
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PERMUIT automatic water softener, good condition, $95; Craftsman lawn sweeper, $10. YE 4-9590.

MOUTON fur coat, 14-16, ¾ length, $50; excellent condition. YE 4-0384.

DRESS, hand knit beige, cocktail style, size 14. Worn twice. YE 4-5506 after 6.

SINGLE maple bed, springs, $17.50; 22" diameter round mahogany occassional table, $5; 12" heavy duty tricycle, $5. YE 4-9704.

35. BARGAIN COUNTER

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36. MISC. WANTED

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37. PETS AND ANIMALS

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PLEASURE horses, suitable for children; mares and geldings. Reasonable winter prices. **BUCKEYE RANCH,** end of Springhill Rd. **BOB AND NANCY KEENEY. AT 3-3846.**

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APPLIANCES RENTED
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47. NURSERY SCHOOLS

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48. REST HOMES

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50. INSTRUCTION

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GOC Personnel Given Awards

At the regular monthly meeting of the Walnut Creek Ground Observer Corps Post February 19 held at the National Guard Armory, special awards were presented to 34 skywatchers.

The 250 hour Award — a Bar to add to the Merit Medal previously received — was presented to Ernest O. Cook and Byron L. Foreman of Walnut Creek, Ma Donna E. Meyers of Pleasant Hill and Bernice W. Jones of Lafayette.

The 100 hour Merit Award was given to David P. Carreiro, Mary E. Carreiro and Michael Rich of Walnut Creek, and to James Whitehead of Pleasant Hill.

Wings for having served 25 hours were awarded to the following residents of Walnut Creek: Lotha, Ronald and Willadean Alvey, Mary E. Bachman, Thomas A. Brazeal, Raymond and Bernice Burk, Herbert R. Deichler, Jess F. Duarte, Gary J. Ewell, Ira W. and Cecile Foubert, James B. Gilman, Edna May and Gail Jones, Louise McAtee, May B. Nichol, Jack O'Neal, Donald D. Phillips, Carolyn M. Rodrigues, Brooke J. Rolston, Herbert E. Rose, William T. Scott, Ben L. Smith, Barbara E. Taylor and Carlene J. Whitaker.

Recorded Talk On Gifted Child Classes Available

In response to increasing interest in the education of the gifted child, a tape recording of a talk describing organization and operation of a class for children of high intelligence is available to any county group upon request, Mrs. Phyllis Wainwright of Martinez, president of the County School Boards Association, announced today.

Mrs. Wainwright said the tape may be obtained by contacting Dr. Katherine Bishop, curriculum director of Walnut Creek schools.

The recording was made under the direction of Mrs. T. W. Marston education chairman of the Walnut Creek Branch, American Association of University Women, during an address by Richard Conniff, superintendent of Alum Rock Union Elementary School District, Santa Clara County.

The district conducts a special class for the gifted child.

Conniff spoke before the school boards association February 20 at Las Lomas High School in Walnut Creek. Approximately 125 board members and representatives of Parent-Teacher and University Women groups, as their guests, attended.

Conniff pointed out that nearly all school districts now provide special instruction for the mentally retarded but that special classes for the gifted children with with an intelligence quotient of 140 or higher are uncommon.

A final meeting of the school boards association this year will be held May 15 at Paul's Place, Martinez, Mrs. Wainwright said. The 6:30 dinner meeting will be followed by election of 1957-58 officers and a brief installation ceremony.

Speaker will be Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, educator, writer and lecturer, on "Language, the Key to Better Understanding."

GOC Training Courses Set

The Contra Costa County Civil Defense and Disaster Office has called special attention to a directive of the United States Air Force calling for special training for all Ground Observer Corps personnel.

The following classes are scheduled for the Walnut Creek Post: Session 1, Tuesday, March 14; Session 2, March 19, 28; Session 3, April 2, 11; Session 4, April 16, 25.

Classes will be held at Las Lomas High School in room 213 from 8 to 10 p.m.

Each of the four training sessions will be given twice, first on a Tuesday, and then repeated on Thursday.

Garden Club Celebrates 22nd Birthday

The Mount Diablo Men's Garden Club celebrated its 22nd birthday with a Ladies Night banquet on Monday at the Pioneer Village in Lafayette.

A movie in color, "Our Wonderful World of Bulbs" was shown for the first time by Dan Riedell of Richmond, gardening consultant for the California Chemical Company.

John Paul Edwards of Berkeley discussed "Some New Ideas on Gardening Controls." Edwards is a gardening expert for Sunset Magazine, and recently returned from a trip into Mexico where he studied and photographed plants and gardens throughout the country.

Albert E. Evers of Lafayette was master of ceremonies.

The 1957 officers of the club took office. They are Dr. Fred E. Heitman, a camellia expert of Lafayette, president; S. E. McElroy a nurseryman of Concord and Robert M. Graves, landscape architect of Walnut Creek, both vice presidents; Talbert Taylor a general gardener of Concord, treasurer; and E. N. Munns a forester of Concord, executive secretary.

Wilson Speaks at Big Convention

County Superintendent of Schools B. O. Wilson was recently in Atlantic City, N. J., at the convention of the American Association of School Administrators. He spoke on functions of Leadership for Rural and Urban Schools."

A digest of his address will appear in The Gist, convention publication of the AASA.

Superintendent Wilson is president of County and Rural Area Superintendents, a nation-wide group of 3000 membership and a division of the National Education Association.

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ENTRY BLANKS are now available for the forthcoming Art-A-Rama to be jointly sponsored by the Diablo Art Association, Mount Diablo Junior Women's Club and the Concord Shopping Center. Showing off one of the works entered are Mesdames Doak Grove, Marvis Strickland and Faye Stimac, left to right.
—Sun photo by Don Bradley

Noted Soprano Will Perform Thursday Night

Leontyne Price, internationally known American soprano, will appear in Walnut Creek Thursday at 8:15 p.m. at the Church of Latter Day Saints (Mormons) on Overlook Drive, under the auspices of the Acalanes Community Concert Association.

Miss Price is well known for her magnificent singing and stunning acting on the recent NBC-TV Opera Theater production of Puccini's "Tosca" and Mozart's "The Magic Flute." She appeared during 155-56 with the leading orchestras of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Los Angeles and Toronto.

Miss Price was born in Laurel, Miss., and there completed high school and became a proficient pianist. She next went to Wilberforce College in Ohio to continue her musical education, and then on to New York's Juilliard School.

Leontyne Price in a very short time has become one of the most popular sopranos in America.

In private life Miss Price is Mrs. William Warfield, wife of the distinguished American baritone. They live in New York City.

This concert is open to the members of the Acalanes Community Concert Associatioin. Anyoen wishing information on how to become a member should phone Mrs. Walter V. Gray, YE 4-2537.

"PROOF OF THE COOKIE is in the eating."—That's what these girls are probably thinking as they prepare for the annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale which starts tomorrow. Left to right are Jessica Burns of Intermediate Girl Scout Troop 85, Pleasant Hill; Wendy Holmes of Brownie Troop 317, Lafayette; Kitty Timmer of Intermediate Troop 196, Walnut Creek, and Becky Horne of Intermediate Troop 12, Orinda.
—Sun photo by Mattson

Area Smog Board Names First Aide

Benjamin Linsky, control officer for the Bay Area Air Pollution Control District, has announced that the District's first technical emloyee will be William N. Tuttle.

Tuttle, who holds a degree from San Jose State College, will fill the trainee positoin for "engineer, scientist or physicist," which was authorized by the Board of Directors. He has previously worked with the Tidewater Associated Oil Company, U. S. Radiation Laboratory and the Bureau of Mines, and is a specialist in photospectroscopy.

Tuttle's first duties will be working in cooperation withthe Stanford Research Institute on the Technical Library of 15,000 technical documents and publications which has been contracted for by the District.

A native of San Jose, the 34-year-old Marine Corps veteran now resides with his family in Berkeley.

Boy Scout Campaign Nearing End

Dr. William J. Harris of Lafayette, chairman of the annual Boy Scout sustaining membership campaign in the Meridian district, said that workers will complete their calls very soon.

The Boy Scout program for the Meridian district serves 92.2 per cent of all eligible boys between the ages of 8 and 18, he added.

Because of the growth of Scouting in the area the Community Chest and the United Crusade cannot possibly provide adequate funds, he continued.

Therefore the opportunity has been given to parents of Scouts and friends of Scouting to become "sustaining members." A membership helps to provide training for the leaders of over 100 troops, posts and packs in the area.

It provides camp facilities, liability insurance and many other items essential to maintain a quality program.

Dr. Harris expressed his gratitude to those who are giving their support.

"We cannot afford the luxury of the failure to support this vital movement. It is too important to our community," he said.

Bitten by Dog

Kay Thompson, 8½ year old daughter of Morrie Thompson, chairman of the Walnut Creek Planning Commission, was recently treated for a dog bite.

She was given medical aid at Kaiser Hospital. The Thompsons live at 1321 Ivy Court, Walnut Creek.

Judge Thomson Notes 25 Years On Local Bench

Judge Clifford Thomson in his 25 years on the bench in Walnut Creek Judicial District has seen his job develop from that of administering justice in scattered minor cases to handling normally several trials a day, and levying fines in the thousands of dollars every month.

His function of offering sage advice to people in trouble, or who have somehow run afoul of the law has not changed, but his calendar has!

So much so, in fact, that in 1951, he was given a chief clerk, Mrs. Delores Targos, and later, a deputy clerk, Mrs. Virginia Harrild.

THERE ARE about four trials a day in the local court, compared to only one a day average of five or six years ago.

The job is in able hands, however.

Judge Thomson was appointed to the bench in 1932, and the last time he was opposed in an election was the next year. He defeated Harry Stow, a supervisor, by a four-to-one margin.

Much of the routine work runs more smoothly at the court due to Judge Thomson's background as an assistant cashier and chief clerk of the Bank of America.

THE Judicial District includes Lafayette, Sun Valley, Reliez Valley, Moraga, Orinda, Ygnacio Valley, Alamo, Pleasant Hill and Walnut Creek.

Recognition of Thomson's 25 years of service was given last week, when he and several other county employees were presented with special pins.

Power Squadron Inducts Locals

Among the 35 new members recently inducted into the Oakland Power Squadron were several local residents, including:

Albert J. Brown, 859 Sibert Court, Lafayette; Lawrence A. Green, 125 Arlene Drive, Walnut Creek; Ronald T. Larsen, 15 Northwood Drive, Orinda; William K. Scheuber, 341 Strand Avenue, Pleasant Hill and Robert S. Wall, 3300 Mildred Lane, Lafayette.

District Cdr. Adam C. McOuat, assisted by local Cdr. William X. Okker, presented the new members with certificates at the annual Spring Squadron Dinner in Berkeley. The neophytes had attended the free Piloting and Safety at Sea classes, sponsored by the United States Power Squadrons, and passed the examination.

Annual merit awards were then presented to 21 Squadron members for their efforts in behalf of the USPS.

Local members receiving them were:

Embree F. Hockenbeamer, 33 Dias Dorados Road and Ambrose P. Macdonald, 52 Davis Road, both of Orinda; and Del M. Procter, 1064 Sunnybrook Drive, Lafayette. The latter was also elected First Lieutenant of the squadron.

AUTOMOTIVE DEVELOPMENT

The turbine powered passenger car still is a long way from the family garage, although recent developments in automotive research and testing laboratories have brought the turbo-car a little closer to reality.

Study of Yield Signs Launched

The University of Califorina-Institute of Transportation and Traffic is making a study of the use of "Yield Right of Way" signs in rural locations.

The "Yield Right of Way" signs which have been installed at the intersection of Sellers Road and Delta Road, Sellers Road and Sunset Road, and Sellers Road and Brentwood Road, are being carefully stuied by graduate students of the University of California to determine their acceptance by rural traffic.

Yield signs are designed to expedite the safe movement of traffic through certain intersctions where the volume of traffic or sight distance of the intersection may not warrant a stop sign.

Scholarships Are Offered

Contra Costa students may qualify for several $250 scholarships offered in the Bay Area by the California Industrial Education Association.

The scholarships will be aimed at preparing the students for careers as industrial education teachers.

Eleven high schools are participating in the program. Local chairmen are as follows:

Mary Mains of Acalanes High School, Robert Rowe of Las Lomas High, William Gingrich of Pleasant Hill High and James Cozens of San Ramon Valley Union High.

De Molay Rites Are Tomorrow Eve at Masonic Temple

Norman Farquhar will be installed master councilor of Las Trampas Chapter, Order of DeMolay, tomorrow night at 8.

The ceremony will be open to the public at the Masonic Temple at Mt. Diablo Boulevard and Locust Street.

Other officers to be installed are Senior Councilor William Long, Junior Councilor David Gray, Scribe Allen Latham, Treasurer Robert Gentry.

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Orator Alan Berry, Preceptors Edward Aweeka, David Silkitis, Richard Smith, Larry Drummond, Alvin Stauffer, William Douglas, Mike Ratto.

The installing team will be Rich King, Robert Lofstrand, Tom Hopper, Gary Benns, Frank Zamaroni and Roger Goodman Jr.

They are from various chapters in the East Bay and hold some of the highest honors conferred by DeMolay. Mrs. William Richmond will be the installing pianist and will act as accompanist for soloist Connie Cosa.

The invocation and benediction will be given by the Rev. H. W. VanDelinder of the Danville Presbyterian Church. He is chaplain for the Walnut Creek High-12 Club which sponsors DeMolay in this area.

Pear Blight is Local Problem

Pear Blight is getting to be troublesome disease to many orchardists and home owners, reports A. L. Seeley, agricultural commissioner for the Contra Costa County Department of Agriculture.

Seeley reported that the bacterial disease not only seriously affects pear and apple trees but also many ornamentals such as Pyracanthas.

Evidence of the disease is easily recognized by the dead leaves that remain on the trees long after the leaves have dropped in the Fall.

The affected leaves, twigs and branches have the appearance of being severely burned by fire.

County Grange Holds Meeting, Plans Future

The Home Economies Committee of Contra Costa County Pomona Grange recently held its first meeting with new officers at the Danville Grange Hall.

The meeting was preceded by dessert and coffee served by a committee from the Danville Grange. Tables were decorated in the Valentine theme.

Chairman Audria Cline of Pleasant Hill Grange presided. She announced that the tri-county meeting which was to have been held at Rutherford Grange on February 26 has been cancelled.

Members then made plans to accept the invitation of Palo Alto Grange to meet with them on March 15.

Mrs. Cline also announced that an award will be made at the close of the year to the Grange which has had the best attendance at the Pomona HEC meetings, on percentage basis.

Subordinate chairmen reported on their activities from Clayton, Pleasant Hill, Danville and Martinez. Tess Butterfield reported on the needs of Shadelands School.

Preliminary plans were made for the Pomona card party which is to be held at Danville on April 27. Members voted to add to the stage curtains during the year.

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